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EYES ARE TURNED TOWARD BALKANS

British Military Observers Expect States Will Decide Within Week

LITTLE NEWS FROM BATTLEFRONTS TO-DAY

Allied Fleet at Dardanelles Active; Turks Short of Ammunition

London, Aug. 16.—With the Greek parliament opening in Athens, the Serbian national assembly in session in Nish and Roumania and Bulgaria, on the verge of deciding, military observers here to-day expected this probably would be one of the most crucial weeks of the war. It was felt almost certain that before the end of the week the status of the Balkan States in the great struggle would have been settled.

The decision of the Germans and Austrians to attack Serbia, supposedly to attempt to force a way through to Turkey with aid, was considered here as a great tactical mistake at the present critical time. While, on the one hand, it was likely to bring home to the Balkans the military power of the central empire, on the other hand it was felt that the display of Teutonic force on their own borders would point a moral which would act as a boomerang against the kaiser's wish that, at least, they continue their neutrality.

Details of the enemy's attempt against Serbia were lacking, beyond the announcement of the bombardment of Belgrade and the Serbians' reply with guns which set Semlin ablaze. It was not believed here that the Teutonic armies would force a passage through Serbia easily. That country has had a long respite from battle. It is known that many British officers are in its ranks, and it has been hinted, though not admitted, that a strong British expeditionary force is in Serbia ready to block any attempt of the Germans to ease the pressure on the Turks.

There is not believed here to be the slightest prospect that Germany can induce any Balkan state to declare openly for the central empires. Roumania has declined twice to allow the passage of munitions through her territory which were destined for the Turks. Her calling reserves to the colors is taken to indicate that more than a possibility of actual declaration for the allies exists. In Greece Venizelos' power through his sweeping victory at the recent elections is believed to be great enough to force King Constantine to abandon his pro-German attitude.

Bulgaria's stand is the big puzzle. If Czar Ferdinand's territorial demands prove too great there is a possibility that the Balkan situation may remain unchanged, but the feeling in London is that this is improbable and that before another fortnight, at most, all the kingdoms of the near east will be placed definitely.

There was little news from the battlefronts in the west and east today. Petrograd admitted that the Germans had invested the fortress of Novo Georgievsk closely, but Russian military experts assert that it would be able to hold out for months. The Germans alleged that the armies led by Prince Leopold of Bavaria, and by Field-Marshal von Mackenzen were fighting toward Brest Litovsk, and that in the north, von Hindenburg, meeting heavy resistance from the Russians, was making progress in the Narew River region.

On the French front only artillery duels and some small local fighting for advantage in trenches were reported.

Along the Danube the Serbs and Austrians were at grips in what seemed the prelude to a great Austro-Germanic attempt, while at the Dardanelles the allied fleet, active again, was shelling the Turks out of villages and the land guns were hammering away steadily at the fortifications on the Gallipoli peninsula.

It was intimated in military circles that the Turks were growing short of ammunition and, while no announcement was made, the impression prevailed that the end of the long struggle for the straits at last seemed in sight.

There was no movement of note reported from the Italian front.

2,000 AMERICANS IN CANADIAN CONTINGENTS

London, Aug. 16.—"There are no fewer than 2,000 Americans in the ranks of the Canadian contingents," said Major-General Sam Hughes, Canadian minister of militia, at a meeting of Americans held here last night. "I already have written letters of gratitude and sympathy to the mothers of more than 100 American boys who have fallen while fighting in Flanders alongside of Canadian comrades. More than 2,000 enlisted and we could have many more if we wished. Any number of West Pointers offered their services as officers and some are with us now."

ENJOYS CONFIDENCE OF PEOPLE OF GREECE

M. VENIZELOS

Athens, Aug. 16.—M. Zavitzanos, a political adherent of Premier-elect Venizelos, was elected president of the chamber of deputies to-day. Zavitzanos' election threatens the downfall of the Gounaris cabinet, as the ministry is opposed to the principles of the Venizelos party.

Venizelos and his followers favor entering the war on the side of the Entente powers.

Zavitbanos was elected by a vote of 182 to 93.

FORMED BARRICADE OF BODIES OF DEAD

Many Germans Killed When British Recaptured Trenches at Hooge

London, Aug. 16. — The Morning Post's correspondent at British headquarters in Flanders writes of the recapture of the trenches at Hooge:

"Officers and men alike bear testimony to the accuracy and efficiency of our artillery fire, which filled them with enthusiasm. The Germans undoubtedly were taken by surprise. They were almost all waiting comfortably in their dugouts for the bombardment to cease. The attack was upon them before they realized that the bombardment had ended. In one of the dugouts a benevolent looking gentleman in gold-rimmed spectacles was found so absorbed in a work of philosophy that he apparently had forgotten that a battle was going on.

"Some German officers barricaded themselves in the dugouts and declined to surrender. The sandbags had to be torn from the roofs of the dugouts and bombs dropped in from above. One by one the dugouts and their occupants were blown to pieces and the fight passed forward, out of the redoubt, to the northwest along a trench which declined from it over the crest of a hill.

"It had not been intended to extend our line far along this trench, but it was not possible to restrain the men. The trench was very deep and so narrow that the bayonet could not be used; all the work had to be done by bombing the enemy, who, having escaped from the redoubt, had retired down to this trench and offered desperate resistance, contesting every traverse. We had at that moment, however, not only our own bombs, but a considerable number of the enemy's and we fought him back foot by foot, literally with his own weapons.

"The slaughter in this trench was very heavy, but the Germans suffered far more than we, and when our men had forced them back, the bottom of the trench was so filled with dead and dying that the Germans were raised up on the bodies of their own men and in consequence had to fight in a stooping position.

"The Germans, to ward off attacks, piled up a barricade of their dead to act as a traverse. Our men, pushing forward, got to a point in the slope where they could see a crowd of Germans in the hollow below. Unable to reach them by any means themselves, they communicated the fact to the guns and a salvo of shrapnel swept them out of existance.

"Meanwhile, on the right of the redoubt the trench had been carried as far as the old crater, which was filled with Germans, apparently waiting in reserve. Their position when our men gained the lip of the crater was hopeless. They were anxious to come out and surrender, clambering up the sides in order to give themselves up. The bulk of the prisoners were taken from the spot, and it unfortunately happened that when they were marching to the rear one of the enemy's shells killed a number of them, as well as some of the escort."

WARSHIPS BOMBARDED TOWNS IN ASIA MINOR

Athens, Aug. 16.—Allied warships shelled and badly damaged the towns of Delelcia, Phokia, Nossundassi and Ephezos, in Asia Minor, according to dispatches received here to-day from Mitylene.

The garrisons were dispersed and the inhabitants driven into the interior.

ENEMY WAS CHECKED; PAID HEAVY TOLL

Lost Many Men at Crossings of Rivers East of Siedlce-Lukow Front

WEAKNESS OF ENEMY'S FLANKS IS APPARENT

German Troops Moved From Siedlce-Lukow Front to Baltic Region

Petrograd, Aug. 16.—The military situation is viewed by Russian army officers with a high degree of optimism owing to the manner in which the Germans have been checked at the crossings of the rivers Liawice and Krisna, east of the Siedlce-Lukow front, where the invaders lost 800 prisoners and paid a heavy toll in dead and wounded. Confidence is felt here that the Russians will be able to make any further eastward progress of the invaders very costly to them.

Fierce battles are looked for in the district between the Nurec and Narew rivers and at the crossing of the Bug. The immediate objective of the Germans is believed to be the double track railroad which roughly parallels the present fighting line, running from Ossowetz to Bialystok, Brest Litovsk and Kovel. This road is protected by dence forests and by the marshes in the region of the upper Narew.

The apparent weakness of the German flanks has removed fear that the Russian army would be bottled up. Evidence of this seeming lack of offensive power is found in the reported removal of a portion of the German troops from the Siedlce-Lukow front to the Baltic region. These troops are said to have been replaced by Austrians.

Russian military critics find it difficult to reconcile this evidence of weakness with German claims of undiminished strength. The Russian theory is that these claims are advanced for the effect on the Balkan states.

The renewal of the German offensive against the Dvina, at Jacobstadt, is focussing interest again in the Baltic region.

EXTRACT FROM LETTER INCLUDED IN ORDERS

Canadian Soldiers at the Front Read Sir Robert Borden's Words

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—A portion of a letter received by General Alderson, commanding the First Canadian Division, from Sir Robert Borden on July 30 last has been incorporated in divisional orders for all to see and read. It is as follows:

"The firm spirit of the Canadian Division and their great efficiency for the task in which they are engaged very deeply impressed me. It was a great privilege to have the opportunity of seeing them and of conveying to them from the people of Canada a message of pride and appreciation. As I said on more than one occasion in addressing the officers and men, they hardly can realize how intensely all Canada has been thrilled by the tidings of their achievements.

"The president of the French Republic, as well as General Joffre and Sir John French, spoke of the troops under your command in terms of the highest praise. I bid you Godspeed in the great task in which you are engaged.

(Sgd.) "SIR ROBERT BORDEN."

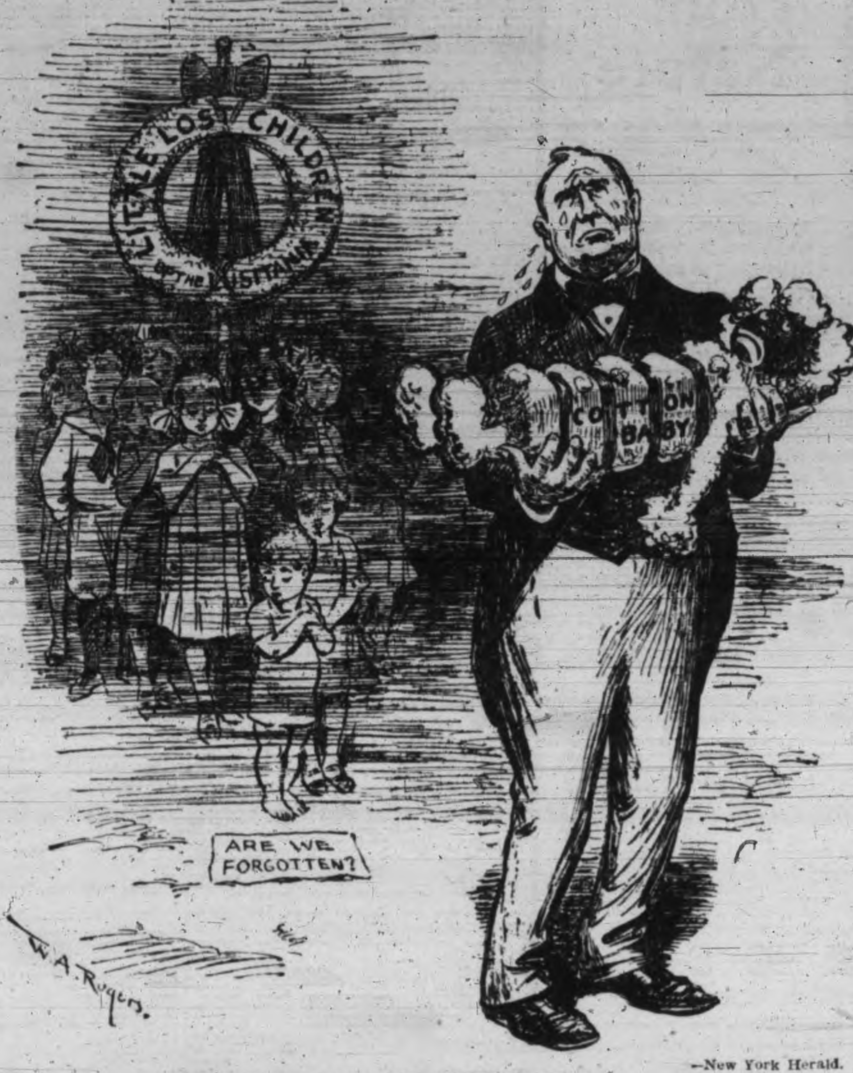
DOES NOT WISH TO SEE POLAND FREE

Amsterdam, Aug. 16.—The Berliner Tageblatt, in an attack on the proposals for an autonomous Poland, says:

"What interests have we, Germany and Austria, in creating an autonomous Poland which would pursue economic interests opposed to ours? This would not be a guarantee, but a danger to future peace. How could Poland be expected to reconcile her economic interests with those of both German and Austria-Hungary?"

NO APPLICATION MADE YET, STATES MINISTER

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—Hon. W. T. White, minister of finance, stated to-day that up to the present he had not received any application from the Royal Bank of Canada or the Bank of Hamilton, asking him to authorize the amalgamation of the two institutions. He added that when such an application was received it would be considered on its merits.



BITTER TEARS OF THE COTTON KING

—New York Herald.

ORDER-IN-COUNCIL IS IN EFFECT NOW

Exportation of Goods From Canada Governed by Regulation Just Passed

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—Under the War Measures act an order-in-council has been passed by which the exportation of all goods from Canada is prohibited.

The exportation of raw cotton and phosphate rock is prohibited to all destinations other than British and allied countries and the United States, except when for consumption in the United States only or when shipped to specific consignees in Britain by way of the United States or when exported via that country under license or dispensation from Canada.

The export of crude coal tar, capucum chemicals, drugs, medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations of a wide range, jute yarns and jute bags, manufactures of aluminum, mineral and vegetable wax, poppy, any sunflower seed, tungsten filaments, bone ash, guano, phosphates, phosphoric acids, tungsten or malybadenum steel, is prohibited to any but British countries.

The export of arsenic and its compounds, gums and substances, animal hair, lignum vitae, metal-working machinery, rattan, cassava powder and tapioca, tapioca flour, rye and rye flour, sago and sago meal, sunflower seed cake and meal, to all foreign ports in Europe and on the Mediterranean Sea to the Black Sea other than those of France, Russia (except Baltic ports), Belgium, Spain, Italy and Portugal, is prohibited.

The export of terne plates, tin-plates, including tin boxes and tin cannisters for food packing, is prohibited to ports in Denmark, The Netherlands, Norway and Sweden.

The above order-in-council goes into effect on and from August 16.

5,000 YOUNG WOMEN EMPLOYED AT ESSEN

Geneva, Aug. 16.—Official figures show that on June 1 about 5,000 young women were employed at the Krupp works at Essen, as compared with 1,329 on January 1. The whole number of employees on June 1 is not given. On January 1 the total was 46,975, exclusive of the employees in the associated industries—mining and shipbuilding and in the ammunition works in other parts of Germany owned by the Krupps.

WILL DRIVE TORPEDO FROM ITS COURSE

Paris, Aug. 16.—"A device invented by the Italian engineer, Quarini, which makes it possible to drive torpedoes out of their course and explode them, has satisfied tests," says a special dispatch from Rome. "Arrangements are being made to supply the device to the allied fleets."

Aviators Dropped Bombs on Galata

London, Aug. 16.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Athens says: "British and French aeroplanes flew over Constantinople and threw bombs on Galata, causing heavy casualties."

Galata, on the north side of the Golden Horn, near Seraglio Point, is Constantinople's largest suburb. The customs house of the capital lies there. The inhabitants before the war were mainly Europeans.

CAPTURED PRISONERS AND MACHINE GUN

French Exploded a Mine in the Vosges; Report Issued at Paris

Paris, Aug. 16.—The war office this afternoon gave out the following statement on the progress of hostilities:

"There was intermittent cannonading last night in the vicinity of Souchez and on the plateau of Nouvron, to the north of the river Aisne. There also were engagements with bombs and hand grenades in the sector of Quennevieres and in the western part of the Argonne.

"In the Vosges the explosion of a mine against an enemy trench located between Berhnhaupt le Bas and Ammertzweiller made it possible for us to take some prisoners and to capture two bomb-throwers and a machine gun."

Paris, Aug. 16.—A message attached to an oriflamme dropped within the French lines by a German aeroplane stated that Daniel de Losques, one of France's best illustrators, who at the beginning of the war became an aviator, had been killed fighting bravely. The pilot of de Losques' machine also was killed, the message said.

The two Frenchmen were buried at Harbouey and their papers will be returned via Switzerland.

BETHMANN-HOLLWEG IS ABOUT TO RESIGN

London, Aug. 16.—Kaiser Wilhelm has quarrelled with Imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, and the latter's resignation is imminent, according to a dispatch received here today from Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam.

MORE MONEY FOR UPKEEP OF THE ITALIAN NAVY

Rome, Aug. 16.—The official gazette publishes a decree authorizing a special new naval credit of $3,265,000 lire ($16,653,000).

TWO STEAMSHIPS AND FISHING SMACK SUNK

Highland Corrie Escaped From Submarine at Mouth of Thames

London, Aug. 16.—The sinking of the Swedish steamship Sverige, registering 1,602 tons, was reported in advices received here to-day. The vessel was en route to London with a cargo of timber when sent down by a German submarine.

The fishing smack White City also was sunk by a German submarine.

Christiania, Aug. 16.—The Norwegian steamship Albis, registering 1,313 tons, was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine in the North Sea to-day. The crew was saved.

Tilbury, Eng., Aug. 16.—The Nelson liner Highland Corrie, 4,787 tons, docked here to-day after a narrow escape from a German submarine at the mouth of the Thames. The vessel was ordered to stop, but the commander refused. A torpedo struck the vessel a glancing blow, but she managed to escape by pursuing a zigzag course. The vessel was listing badly when she reached here.

LEADERS OF PARTIES ATTENDED MEETING

Roumanian Cabinet Ministers Called Together for Special Session Yesterday

London, Aug. 6.—King Charles of Roumania called a special meeting of the cabinet at Bucharest yesterday to which the leaders of all political parties, as well as influential members of the chamber, were summoned.

The Serbian national assembly reassembled at Nish to-day to receive a statement upon the negotiations with Bulgaria.

Paris, Aug. 16.—A delayed dispatch to the Havas News Agency, filed at Bucharest on Saturday, says that Austrian and German agents at points along the Roumanian frontier are paying three times the normal price for wheat, corn, hay, flax, peas and beans exported from that country. This is the result of the heavy export taxes placed upon Roumanian agricultural products on Saturday, following the action of the government on the previous day in removing the prohibition against sending certain food supplies out of the country.

The export tax amounts to 400 to 1,000 francs on a carload, and from 200 to 500 francs on a farm wagon load.

OPERATIONS IN EAST DEVELOPING SLOWLY

Hindenburg Attempting to Throw Troops Across the Dvina River

TRYING TO REACH PETROGRAD RAILWAY

Serbian and Greek Parliaments Begin Sessions; Situation in Balkans

London, Aug. 16.—Military operations in the eastern field are developing slowly. Both sides show the effects of the intensity of the struggle in the region of Warsaw. The German advance now centres in the efforts of Field-Marshal von Hindenburg to force troops across the Dvina and eastward toward the Petrograd railway, and the near approach of the army of Prince Leopold of Bavaria to the new Brest Litovsk defence. Notwithstanding the utmost efforts of the Germans, the Russians have succeeded thus far in holding them west of the Dvina.

The Balkan crisis is drawing to a climax. The national assemblies of Serbia and Greece meet to-day, with the probability of a definite decision as regards Bulgaria's territorial demands, upon which hinges the question of the united action of the Balkan states with the allies.

Some observers here expect that Serbia will seek a compromise and Greece will reject the Bulgarian contentions. Reports from Athens indicate that King Constantine is insisting that the new cabinet must maintain strict neutrality, the effect of which would be to withhold Greece from participating in a plan on the part of all the Balkan states with the allies.

According to information from Bucharest, German army corps have been concentrated near where the boundaries of Hungary, Roumania and Serbia meet. This, with the bombardment of Belgrade and the activity of Austrian forces at many points along the Danube, lends support to reports of an Austro-German plan for an offensive in the Balkans.

The outcome of the crisis is awaited most anxiously, as determining whether the allies will receive new support from the Balkans and whether Germany's supplies of ammunition for Turkey will continue to be shut off by the Balkan barrier.

The Serbian minister at London, M. Boshkovits, told the Associated Press he believed a middle ground would be found on which it would be possible to unite the Balkan states.

DROPPED TO $4.64 AT NEW YORK TO-DAY

New Low Record Set for British Pound Sterling; Rose This Afternoon

New York, Aug. 16.—The value of the British pound sterling went steadily and rapidly downward to-day until touched $4.64 in American money, the lowest ever placed upon it since New York became a financial centre. Utter demoralization for the foreign exchange markets resulted. France followed suit, falling to the equivalent of 16 2-3 cents. Normally the pound sterling is quoted at $4.87 and francs at approximately 20 cents.

Last Saturday the British pound established a new low record in the New York money market by falling to $4.69. To-day it opened 2 cents under Saturday's lowest price, a situation without parallel in the history of American finance, within an hour lost another penny, and by 1 o'clock had sold down to $4.64.

The sharp fall in exchange rates was ascribed to the demand of American manufacturers for pay for the goods sold by them abroad.

With the British pound debased as never before, the American dollar today was the standard of the world financial market. In financial circles the rapid lowering of foreign exchange rates was regarded as presaging difficulties ahead.

The reappearance of J. P. Morgan in the financial district to-day for the first time since an attempt was made to assassinate him on July 3 gave color to the belief that negotiation to end the present abnormal situation might be consummated soon.

In the face of this belief there was a rally in the market for sterling about 2 p. m. which brought quotations back to within one cent of the opening. Francs likewise steadied. Other continentals also rose in sympathy.

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STATES' REPLY TO AUSTRIA-HUNGARY

No Intention of Prohibiting or Limiting Exportation of Munitions

Washington, Aug. 16.—The state department last night made public the reply of the United States rejecting views set forth by the Austro-Hungarian government in a recent note contending that the exportation of war munitions from the United States to Austria's enemies was conducted on such a scale as to be "not in consonance with the definition of neutrality."

Though friendly in tone, the note flatly denies the Austro-Hungarian contentions and recalls that that country and Germany furnished munitions of war to Great Britain during the Boer war when the Boers could not import such supplies. It insists that the American government is pursuing a strictly neutral course and adhering to a principle upon which it would depend for munitions in the markets of the world in case it should be attacked by a foreign power.

Attention is directed to the fact that Austria-Hungary and Germany, before the war, produced a great surplus of war munitions and sold them throughout the world, "especially to belligerents," and that "never during that period did either of them suggest or apply the principle now advocated by the imperial and royal government."

The note runs in part:

"The contention of the imperial and royal government appears to be that the advantages gained to a belligerent by its superiority on the sea should be equalized by the neutral powers by the establishment of a system of non-intercourse with the victor. . . .

"Manifestly the idea of a strict neutrality now advanced by the imperial and royal government would involve a neutral nation in a mass of perplexities which would obscure the whole field of international obligation, produce economic confusion and deprive all commerce and industry of legitimate fields of enterprise, already heavily burdened by the unavoidable restrictions of war."

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FORCED TO CEASE SHELLING BELGRADE

Enemy Used Large Howitzers; Serbian Gunners Replied With Success

London, Aug. 16.—The following official statement was issued on Friday at Nish:

"The enemy bombarded Belgrade with large calibre howitzers yesterday. There was no loss of life. The bombardment ceased after we shelled Semlin (in Austria, on the tongue of land formed by the junction of the Danube and the Save, opposite Belgrade, with which it is connected by railway bridge) and Panscova (across the Danube from Belgrade, in Austria), causing fires in Semlin and a panic in Panscova."

Reports that the Germans and Austrians had mobilized forces estimated at from 300,000 to 400,000 men along the Serbian frontier, preparatory to a fresh attempt against the Serbians in the hope of opening a way for the shipment of munitions to Turkey, have been received from various sources in the past week. There have been several clashes between the Serbs and Austrians on the frontier in the past few days.

KAISER'S INVESTMENTS FALLEN IN VALUE

His Holdings Are Worth Less Than When the Great War Began

Paris, Aug. 16.—It was stated recently that the kaiser already had lost by the war a sum of four millions sterling. The Temps, while recognizing that he must have suffered heavy losses, shows that this statement is not borne out by what is known of the kaiser's private affairs.

At the time of the financial census for the assessing of the tax which was to provide the sum of forty millions sterling as a war contribution, the kaiser stood ahead of all his subjects with an income of £900,000, whereas he stood only third in the general classification of fortunes. Frau Bertha Krupp von Bohlen headed the list with eighty-three millions sterling and an income of £640,000 per annum; Prince Henckel von Donnersmarck was second with ten millions and an income of £520,000 per annum. The kaiser's visible annuities, according to the same statistics, were: Civil list, £875,000; rents, etc., £175,000; interest on crown treasury, £225,000.

According to the same statistics, his visible estate consisted of: Real estate, crown forests, etc., £3,500,000; developed estate, £2,000,000; property in Berlin, £900,000; total, £6,400,000. In transferable securities: 1, crown treasure, established by Frederick William III. after the battle of Jena, together with the addition of £250,000 made by William I. out of the French indemnity of 200 millions sterling—making a total of one million sterling; 2, the kaiser's share of the fortune of four million sterling left by William I.; 3, the kaiser's investments since he came to the throne.

It is impossible to estimate these investments, but the kaiser is known to have big holdings in the Hamburg-Amerika Steamship Co., the Reichsbank, and especially in the Krupp works. For these purposes he figures under the name of Privy Councillors Muller and Grimm. His share in William I. fortune is estimated at £125,000.

Admitting that William II. inherited something under the will of Queen Victoria, that he had saved money and that his investments have proved lucrative, his fortune at the beginning of the war may have been about two and a half to three millions sterling, but with the exception of his investment in the Krupp works, all his investments have depreciated enormously.

ATTEMPTED TO CHECK RUSSIAN OFFENSIVE

Petrograd, Aug. 16.—The following official statement was given out on Saturday:

"In the region of Riga there was no essential change on Friday. Near Jacobstadt, Dvinsk and Vilkomir, the enemy attempted by counter-attacks to arrest our offensive. The fighting continues.

"In the front between the Narew and the Bug rivers no important change has occurred.

"A desperate action took place Friday in the region southwest of Ciechanowice.

"At Novo Georgievsk during the past two days, besides an artillery duel, there have been skirmishing and actions within the approach defences.

"On the left bank of the Bug there was fighting, which increased in obstinacy during Thursday night in the district north of Siedlce, and in the Lukow region.

"On the right bank of the Bug, toward the Zlota Lipa and the Dniester rivers, there is no change.

Vienna, Aug. 15.—The following official statement was issued on Saturday:

"In the district of the Bug, advancing, our troops again drove before them the rear-guards of the retreating enemy. Austro-Hungarian forces advancing on both sides of the railway from Lukow to Brest Litovsk reached the sector west of Miedsyrzecz.

"German troops conquered the district of Wlazonice and advanced across the Rolodawa."

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GERMANY'S FAILURE IN A YEAR OF WAR

A Pariah Among the Nations, She Now is Faced With Ruin

London, Aug. 16.—Despite Germany's thirty years of preparation for the terrific struggle and her utter disregard for the laws of God and man; her violations of the neutrality of Belgium and Luxemburg in her invasion of France; her murders from the sky; her bombardments of undefended coast towns, her employment of asphyxiating gases, and her policy of piracy against unarmed enemy and neutral vessels, culminating in the horror of the ages, the sinking without warning of the great Cunard line steamship Lusitania and the murder of hundreds of harmless men and helpless women and children who were passengers; despite her foul play and fiendish practices, Germany, at the end of the first year of the war, which has cost the lives of more than 4,000,000 men and resulted in the maiming of double that number, finds herself further from the kaiser's dream of world domination than ever, and the fruits of her ambition have turned to ashes on her lips.

Notwithstanding her temporary successes—and they are only temporary—in the eastern theatre of war, millions of homes in Germany are mourning; other millions will be added before the great war, for which the kaiser above all men is responsible, will be ended.

Germany's commerce with the outer world, owing to the command of the sea held by the allied fleets, is nil and her business men, robbed first to fill the war chest of the war lord, are facing ruin. The great thrust at Warsaw, designed to inspire hope of victory, really was meant to rob them of more money under the guise of subscriptions to another war loan, which will leave the empire facing, if not really in, bankruptcy.

Germany's colonies are disappearing. First it was Kiau Chau, taken by Germany from China by trick and theft, and now in the hands of the Japanese. Then followed German Southwest Africa, conquered by the redoubtable leader, General Louis Botha, and added to the possessions of the British empire, and all signs indicate that every vestige of territory which she has annexed in lands beyond her borders will be lost.

The German flag no longer is seen upon the sea. All the ships of her great commercial fleet either have been captured, are idle at home or are interned in neutral lands. Her great war fleet, too, is locked in behind the Bight of Heligoland, and her only triumphs by sea are those achieved by her submarines in attacks on unarmed passenger steamships or fishing smacks.

Whenever and wherever the British and German navies have met, gun for gun, as in the battle off the Falkland Islands, the British have won, and so at the close of a year of warfare the ships of the German navy, outside of those in sanctuary at Kiel, have been swept from the seas, and Britannia still rules the waves!

Because of this British domination of the sea Germany, through its agents and propagandists in the United States, has sought by appealing to sectional interests—the cotton growers of the south, for instance—to embroil the United States with Britain; but these plots have been abortive. The pro-German strikes in the munition factories of the New England States have failed and the kaiser and his government stand convicted by the jury of American public opinion as murderers, and this verdict is indorsed by every neutral nation in the world.

While Germany has suffered tremendous losses and stands as an outlaw among the nations, the forces that are fighting for the freedom of the world have been compelled to make great sacrifices of men and money, the expenditures running well into billions.

Russia, which has borne the brunt of the tremendous struggle with the war-mad kaiser and his armed hosts, has contributed hundreds of thousands of lives and treasure untold.

France, believing in German promises of peace and therefore unprepared for the gigantic conflict with the world's greatest military machine, has performed prodigies of valor, and though she has achieved no other victory to compare with the glorious battle of the Marne, her great General Joffre, the first French commander-in-chief to realize that orderly retirement makes for final victory, continues to fight in the western theatre of the war and holds the kaiser's forces with their demoniac methods in peremptory, permanent check until the hour strikes for the great allied advance.

Britain, which entered the war with Lord Kitchener calling for 100,000 men, a call which has been answered thirty-fold—there are 3,000,000 Britishers in khaki to-day—at last realizes that this is a life and death struggle, and just as the kaiser's troops, after months of terrific fighting, are exhausting their ultimate strength in the effort to crush Russia, at this precise moment Britain, which fought through a thirty years' war once and is willing to do this again if it be necessary, is beginning to move in deadly earnest.

So, summing the situation up at the end of the first twelve months of conflict, it appears that at the cost of her national honor Germany has been able to overrun Belgium and has penetrated beyond the borders of France; she has been able to check, for a time, the march of the Great Bear on Berlin; she has lured the Turk—her only acceptable act—to his destruction, and she has brought the house of Hapsburg and the dual monarchy into the valley of the shadow of death.

These are the Whole of Germany's achievements during the first year of the great war for which she had been preparing for more than three decades.

On the other hand, Germany has united civilization against her. The world will never forget the Lusitania horror. Though the United States may not declare war to avenge the outrage, the stain of the crime will be worn by and the punishment of ostracism therefor will be the lot of the descendants of the criminals for many generations.

While the Germans, at terrible cost, have made an advance—a temporary one—in Poland, it must not be forgotten that France and Britain are stronger and better able to fight the conscienceless foe than they were a year ago. It is heartening to remember, too, that while the credit of these two great nations is at the highest, both at home and abroad, and money is theirs for the asking, no one wants German bonds. Neutral investors will not trust the honor of a nation that regards sacred covenants and treaties as "scraps of paper."

The outlook, therefore, at the end of the first year of the war is that Germany and her puppet—for that is what once proud Austria-Hungary has come to be—will be beaten thoroughly even if, as King George says, it takes ten years to accomplish the task. Britain, France and Russia have undertaken this work, and they will not stop until military Deutschland is "unter" instead of "ueber" alles. Italy has joined the forces of liberty, and the achievements of her army have been superb. Others will follow Italy and align themselves on the side of right, and the war will end in victory for the forces of freedom.

Belgium will be rehabilitated, France will come into her own again, and the Germany of the military despot, of the "Junkers," now a pariah among the nations, a byword in the mouths and a stench in the nostrils of men, will disappear.

HOUSE WAS UNDER SIEGE FOR TWO DAYS

Dublin, Aug. 16.—David Johnston was found dead this morning beneath a window of his house in Lurgan, County Armagh, in which for two days he had withstood a siege of the constabulary. A bullet wound below his eye and an empty revolver clutched in his hand indicated he had used his last cartridge to cheat the police of their quarry.

Johnston, who is believed to have been mentally irresponsible, precipitated the trouble on Saturday by firing at registry enumerators who went to his house to deliver the official forms in connection with the national registration now under way.

FORMER PREMIER OF HUNGARY DIED TO-DAY

Budapest, Aug. 16.—Kolman von Szell, former premier of Hungary, died this morning. He resigned the premiership in 1903 and served subsequently as a member of the diet.

ARTILLERY DUELS ON FRONT IN BELGIUM

Paris, Aug. 16.—The following official statement was given out on Saturday night:

"On the Yser, artillery fighting is taking place before Lombaertzyde, St. Georges, Boesinghe and Woeven.

"In Artois, to the east of the road to Lille, by means of mines, we have destroyed advanced works of the enemy. An ammunition depot has been blown up within the enemy's lines between Monchy and Ransart.

"To the north of Lassigny we bombarded the German positions of La Tour Roland.

"Violent cannonading is reported in the Argonne, in the sector of La Houyette; at the forest of Montmare, at 'The Cow's Head,' on the frontier of Lorraine; and in the Vosges, at Chahelotte and Fontenelle."

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Petrograd, Aug. 16.—The following statement was issued at the headquarters of the army of the Caucasus yesterday:

"In the direction of Olti, in the district of Bildassore, attempts of the Turks to resume the offensive were repulsed by infantry and machine gun fire.

"In the valley of Passine we took the western crest of Kara Derbent after a stubborn fight. All Turkish attempts to regain their lost positions were unsuccessful.

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CLOUDBURST AT OSHAWA; STREETS WERE FLOODED

Oshawa, Ont., Aug. 16.—A cloudburst yesterday afternoon caused a flood which swept the streets of Oshawa three or four feet deep, flooding the houses on Main street and carrying away a large quantity of goods from the Oshawa canning factory. Much damage was done in the vicinity. Cattle were drowned, grain fields and orchards swept bare and seven cement bridges, erected at a cost of $20,000, carried away. Communication was crippled.

In Oshawa the flood was so deep that dangerous areas were roped off by the police and fire departments to avoid accidents to spectators. One effect of the deluge was to plunge the town into darkness last night, the electric light poles being washed out. No deaths have been reported.

ENEMY'S GUNS WERE REDUCED TO SILENCE

Paris, Aug. 16.—A Havas dispatch from Nish, dated Sunday, says that on August 13 the Serbians, with a few shells, stopped the enemy from working on defences in front of the village of Dobers, on the Danube. On the same day Serbian artillery before Velicocelo, near Belgrade, engaged in a duel with a hostile battery stationed at the village of Starchevo, and at the twelfth shot reduced to silence the enemy's guns, which had fired sixty shells.

Phoenix Stout, $1.50 per doz. quarts.

ITALIANS GAINED GROUND IN CARNIA

In Region of Monte Piano, on Cadore Front, They Repulsed Attack

Rome, Aug. 16.—The following official statement was issued on Saturday night:

"The struggle beyond the Cadore frontier becomes more intense. In the zone of Monte Piano the enemy, in force and backed by numerous artillery, attempted yesterday to counterattack our positions from which he was thrown the day before. After a hot fight he was repulsed with serious losses.

"In the Sexten valley (Carnia) while the fire of our artillery against the works of the enemy was continued, our infantry climbed to the summit of Orderbaczer Kamzel, a little south of Orderbaczer Spitz, to re-entrench, while another detachment occupied an important branch of Alpine communications west of Forcella Cengsa.

"On the Isonzo a disastrous artillery fire was begun on the work defending the Plezzo basin. An enemy battery, located in a cavern above Svinjak and cleverly concealed, was struck fairly yesterday. On the Carso plateau during the night of August 13 the enemy set off a number of rockets above our positions, but made no further attack. Our groups of artillery continued their methodical destruction of the enemy's trenches, some of which, opposite our positions at Selbusi, were demolished. Their defenders were put to flight, most of them being struck with shrapnel and rifle fire.

"Enemy aeroplanes in the past few days have flown over the Isonzo region, but always have been driven back by our anti-aircraft batteries."

Vienna, Aug. 16.—The following official statement was issued on Saturday evening:

"Attacks were repulsed at several points on the southwestern front, namely, in the Tyrolean frontier district, at Fedaja, and on the Bohena line, south Schluderbach.

"In the district of Gorizia all our old positions on Monte Selbusi and on the height east of Monfalcone are in our hands. During the night one of our armored trains advanced to the entrance of the station at Monfalcone and bombarded enemy infantry on the slopes of Larocca and transport cars near the Adria works."

CALLED BACK TO THE BULGARIAN CAPITAL

London, Aug. 16.—"So much importance is attached to the results expected from the proposals made by the Entente powers to Serbia and Greece regarding concessions to Bulgaria, that Bulgaria has recalled from Constantinople a delegate who went there to negotiate with Turkey," says a dispatch from Sofia to the Daily Mail.

ASIATIC CHOLERA.

Geneva, Aug. 12 (delayed in transmission).—Asiatic cholera has appeared at Cannstatt, Wurttemberg. An official notice says that only one case developed—that of a German soldier on leave who had contracted the disease in Galicia.

GREAT QUANTITIES BOUGHT IN CANADA

Orders Placed by British Government Total Huge Sum of $230,000,000

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—Orders place in Canada by the British government for war supplies and now executed or under execution total the enormous sum of $230,000,000, according to an official statement just issued, in which are given details of the different articles purchased and their amounts.

The department of trade and commerce also is collecting information as to orders placed in the Dominion by the other allies. While it is possible to obtain statistics as to supplies purchased directly, there is much difficulty in arriving at even an approximate value in connection with the large amount of indirect buying done here, but the data will be collected if possible.

Orders for munitions of war placed in this country by Britain, according to the statement, total $188,183,180. Orders for leather goods, timber and miscellaneous stores amount to $6,142,205. Some 10,665,400 worth of clothing and textiles has been ordered here. As regards food and forage, the total is $23,397,385 and wagons, etc., to the amount of $325,595 have been bought in the Dominion. A great part of these orders already has been shipped and paid for, while a larger part still is under contract for delivery.

Following are details of purchases in Canada: Acetone, 109,625 pounds; sulphuric (oleum), 105,500 pounds; ammunition (small arms), $79,500 pounds; bayonets, 114,583 pounds; cartridges, complete rounds (200,000 rounds ordered, price not announced yet); 4.5 howitzer ammunition, 5,497,000 pounds; 18-pound shrapnel, 8,101,200 pounds; fuses, T. and P., number 80, 2,712,500 pounds; No. 1000, 750,000 pounds; rifles, M. L. S. for Mk. VII and Mk. III, Ross Mk. VIII, 593,750 pounds; shells, 4.5-inch howitzer empty lyddite, 2,310,000 pounds; sixty-pounder lyddite, 1,200,000 pounds; eighteen-pounder H. E., 198,438 pounds; eighteen-pounder shrapnel, 63,500 pounds; fifteen-pounder shrapnel, 166,000 pounds; T. N. T. (orders placed in Canada, but no quantity defined).

Harness pole draught, six-horse team, 300,000 pounds; double wheel, 394,500 pounds; head collars, 16,000 pounds; traces, 49,218 pounds.

Saddlery, complete sets, 85,000 pounds; accoutrements, 158,438 pounds; bandoliers, 12,500 pounds; mess tins, 12,495 pounds; leather bottles, 66,875 pounds; stock pots (aluminum), 4,500 pounds; sleepers, 7,660 pounds; crossing timbers, 416 pounds; picketing pegs, 11,250 pounds; picketing posts, 3,333 pounds.

Helves (pickaxes), 10,291 pounds; shovels, 7,700 pounds; miscellaneous tools, prices not yet stated; field forces, 1,717 pounds; ammunition boxes, 24,305 pounds; barbed wire, 1,500 pounds; brushes, 9,948 pounds; candles, 4,500 pounds; matches, 8,200 pounds; nails, 943 pounds; tetanus anti-toxin, 6,142 pounds; bags, oats, 81,649 pounds; boot laces, 8,840 pounds; buttons, zinc, 21,890 pounds; clothing, great coats, 180,242 pounds; jackets, 521,501 pounds; trousers, 316,200 pounds; coats, sheep-lined, 48,251 pounds; flannel, white, 27,000 pounds; hosiery, cap comforters, 29,472; cardigans, 191,770; cholera belts, 3,604; drawers, cotton, 40,920 pounds; drawers, woolen, 245,962 pounds; mitts, woolen, 3,059 pounds; mitts, leather, 15,020; socks, worsted, 43,292 pounds; socks, lumbermen's, 3,020; socks, long warm thick, 6,040; undervests, 31,117 pounds; shirts, flannel, 289,413 pounds; mess tin covers, 18,220 pounds; rubber boots, 7,377 pounds; shoe packs, 143 pounds.

Produce: Bacon, 639,954 pounds; cheese, 573,879 pounds; flour, 404,103 pounds; fowls, roast, 5,789 pounds; hay, 261,560 pounds; bought through H. C. of Canada, 549,276 pounds (four thousand tons weekly for five months, cost only estimated); oats, 892,360 pounds; portion bought through H. C. of Canada, and 780,815 (four thousand tons weekly for five months, cost only estimated); jam, 12,872 pounds; preserved meat, 433,687 pounds; vegetables, dried, 124,704 pounds; cables, D three, 2,455 pounds; kitchens, traveling, 57,250 pounds; rods, metal, 6,523 pounds; runners, 3,750 pounds; wagons, horse, G. S. "Bain," 67,400 pounds; spares, 6,290; G. S. limbered, 41,250 pounds.

TURKISH AMBASSADOR AT BERLIN RECALLED

Athens, Aug. 16.—Mukhtar Pasha, the Turkish ambassador at Berlin, has been recalled at the kaiser's request, because he reported to Constantinople that Germany and Austria were in the last stages of exhaustion and that the first serious repulse would bring destruction. He recommended that the porte employ discretion, pointing out that if Germany lost, she would use Turkey as the scapegoat.

General von der Goltz, on hearing of the report, immediately cabled, demanding the minister's recall.

REPRESENTATIVES FROM MANY COUNTRIES ATTEND

Oakland, Aug. 16.—Every incoming train and steamship continued to-day to increase the hosts of delegates gathered here for the fifty-third annual convention of the National Education association, and it was estimated that 10,000 were on hand for the opening session at 9 a.m. Representatives from twenty-seven foreign countries are expected to participate in the three days' conclave.

FOUND MANY BOMBS.

Paris, Aug. 16.—A dispatch from Lisbon to the Fournier agency says that a laborer working in a field at Cube Ruive, a suburb of Lisbon, dug up a bomb which exploded and wounded him seriously. The police made a search and found a large number of bombs buried in all parts of the field.

THRILLING WORK OF DISPATCH RIDERS

"Streak Across Land Like Comets," Says Correspondent; Experiences of One

London, Aug. 16.—A correspondent has sent the following from the headquarters of the British army in France and Belgium:

As its scope expands with one's knowledge of it, and the deeper one gets involved in its intimacies, the despairing conviction grows that it will require the artists, historians, and philosophers of several centuries to make anything of this war. For the man now in the midst of it, however clear his conviction as to what it is that even the contemporary public wants, the task is about hopeless. He sees daily a great deal the public would be cheered to hear, and gets glimpses of factors in the affair of considerable importance to historians, yet even at this distance he can hear London asking insistently the anxious and paramount question, oblivious of all else, "How are things going?" Common sense, out of abundance evidence, for the present, is within his knowledge because he is privileged.

A few days since, when searching for facts concerning a recent attack on a German trench, the party of which the correspondent was a member came upon the grave of a German soldier, only just then filled in. This man had died instantly of a bayonet thrust.

"A curious thing about that," commented an officer. "The German was a huge, scowling man, and he was tackled by a youngster of ours, a slim little fellow, really no match for him. But the German it was who died, and I remember his face afterwards. He might have been asleep dreaming of some wickedness. Later I found our men burying him most carefully."

But this respect for the dead is general. I know of a sniper of ours who, lying out one night in the open, got an unsuspecting German, and then was so troubled by the presence of an enemy no longer dangerous that he took the risk of going for a spade and returning to bury his foe.

Indeed, if a war correspondent had the virtues and knowledge combined of Kipling, Dr. Frazer (he of "The Golden Bough"), and Bernard Shaw he might be able, in inspired moments, to present the public with Tommy at war in Flanders, and well the public would like him; but the reader can see what a job it is.

By the side of a street in the ruins of Ypres to-day, for instance, was one of those young men who wear armlets of blue and white, who are always sitting on motor cycles, and who streak across this land like comets. They are "signals." They are owned by the R. E. One never speaks to them, because it is useless to address remarks to comets. There is just a noise approaching from behind, and then a cloud diminishing in front. I am told they travel at 20 miles an hour; but all I know is the shells rarely catch them. This man himself admitted it, after he had unwound a cocoon of wire from the hub of his back wheel.

"One caught me once," he corrected himself after some thought, "but that was by trick. I was coming through this town last April, during the second bombardment, and, all out, when a big high-explosive made a crater in the road ahead of me just as I came along, and in I went and was crumped."

He was a Cambridge man, who presented himself early in the war with his machine, and has been conveying messages ever since. There are relays of these riders between G. H. Q. and the headquarters of brigades. He told me he was enjoying life thoroughly. As he does not hear shells coming, owing to the noise of his machine, he does not alight to find cover, but goes straight on, and therefore they miss him. Anyway, there he was to prove it.

That young man (from what he told me), if he had a golden pen and could dip it in lampblack and lightning, could make something of his experiences. He was in the great retreat, and had to push along in the direction from which others were coming fast; and he was mixed up in the great advance. But his really "hairy time," to use his own phrase, was in the second battle of Ypres: "The first time, you know, I ever saw that jolly town."

He didn't know the way through it to Hooge and beyond, and there were shells exploding everywhere, and the houses were falling about him. People were running anywhere, and the things lying about the streets were not pretty. He found his address at last, but he could not find his man. You have to find your man if you are a dispatch rider. The shells are nothing.

He found his man at last in a dug-out, and for two hours they waited for the place to go. The signal wires already had gone. Then the ammunition went, and then everybody went, accompanied by a great storm of shell, and the men didn't care what happened, for they were both fatigued and choked with gas.

In all the prolonged and anxious time during that second battle only one dispatch rider of my friend's section was lost, and he was found, poor fellow, beside his machine, unwounded, but suffocated, for he had ridden through the poison gas till he had no more breath, and then had slipped off and died.

Beyond my dispatch rider, there shows another subject for adequate treatment which now it is never likely to get. He himself suggested it. It had made a terrible impression on his mind—the collapse and the burning of Ypres and the flight of its civilians. There was a night when the whole city was in flames, the walls were blowing out the flaming heart of the place. The roads out of it were thronged with fugitives, their torments lighted by the flames of the hell from which they were trying to escape. There were screams and horrible cries, lost children running and shouting in fear, and soldiers dropping, spent beneath the hoofs of frantic cattle.

MISS PANKHURST SAYS SHE WILL NOT REGISTER

London, Aug. 16.—Sylvia Pankhurst, famed as a militant suffragette, will not comply with the national registry regulations, she asserted.

"I am not going to register; that's all I know about it," declared Miss Pankhurst at a meeting of East London suffragettes, followed by a demonstration.

"For my part I think it merely a ruse to get more power out of the workers. I am not a man, so they cannot take me to the war, but they won't send me to the munition factory. They know there will be trouble."

GREATEST NEED IS OFFICERS, SAYS WOOD

Plattsburg, N. Y., Aug. 16.—The United States has plenty of material for a volunteer army of one and a quarter million men, and all that is needed now is plans for utilizing it, Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood declared here on Saturday in a statement as to the preparedness of the nation for war. The chief need, he said, was officers, and he advocated training students in their junior and senior years of college along the same lines as now are being followed at the military camp of instruction here.

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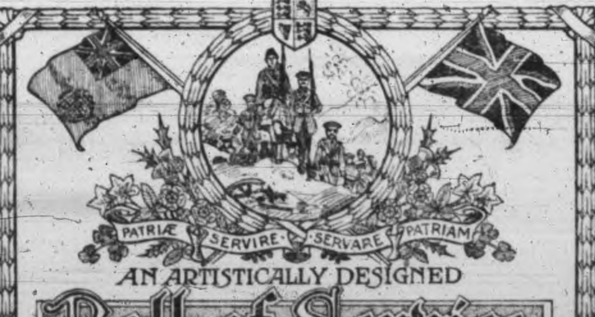

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HERR WOLFF'S CALLIOPE.

The German press is practically a department of the government. Herr Wolff, director in chief, to all intents and purposes is a minister of state. His duty is to see that the German people think just what the powers that be wish them to think. Just why a people who, its leaders say, will fight to the bitter end, require such careful oversight it is difficult to understand. Rugged plants do not need hot-house treatment, and one would think that if an organization was so virile that it would endure to the very last gasp it would be strong enough to survive free speech and discussion by a free press. Apparently, however, it cannot and we shall see that as a natural consequence it lacks the moral stamina to resist to the last ditch.

Occasionally a few discords shriek from Herr Wolff's calliope. Vorwarts, the Socialist paper, sometimes does a little transposing on its own account and is promptly suppressed by the war party. The Tages Zeitung becomes more than usually blood-curdling in spots and the German chancellor throws cold water on it whenever his influence at headquarters is strong enough. Between the two extremes Herr Wolff has a trying time, but on the whole he manages to keep his instrument in hand.

The German press is doing now what none of its editors would have dared to do six months ago. It is discussing the question of peace. The discussion, of course, runs in a negative vein. Germany, they say, does not wish for peace because she fears an unfavorable issue of the war—not at all. Her armies are triumphant in the east. They hold a large part of other people's territory in the west. They are invincible but—Germany is a peace-loving nation which was attacked without provocation by wicked Belgium, revenge-loving France and barbaric Russia, all herded together by envious Britain. She hates war and deplores the severity with which she has been compelled to chasten her foes. She must have guarantees that she will not be attacked again in the form of certain strategic territorial concessions. Unless these are assured she will go on and on and on, etc.

Then in another key a second tune is played, particularly by the fire-eaters. Bethmann Holweg, the German chancellor, is attacked for his moderation in connection with the war. There is not enough iron in him. Besides, he has bungled in diplomacy. He did not handle Great Britain properly. He talked too recklessly in the Reichstag about the violation of Belgium. He is the villain in the piece and with von Jagow, the foreign minister, must be sacrificed.

These two notes now being sounded by the German press are instructive. It is not what the organization of Herr Wolff says but what it does that carries the significance. The fact that it mentions peace at all is the main thing. Why, what about "Deutschland Uber Alles" and the "Hymn of Hate?" What about the inflexible determination voiced by Bernhardi that "France must be crushed, never to cross our path again?" What of Wilhelm, Emperor of Europe, and the reorganization of the continent on the German model? Nine months ago everything and everybody outside of Germany were to be crushed. Now we learn that Germany would "consider" terms of peace which contained "guarantees" satisfactory to her. As a matter of fact, Germany today would accept peace on the basis of the status quo before the war with alacrity if she had the chance.

Likewise the war party is looking for a scapegoat. The Hohenzollerns are trying to clear themselves from all responsibility for the troublous times they see looming ahead. Notwithstanding the fact that neither the Chancellor nor von Jagow was a free agent, that they were merely the creatures of the war party, and that there is excellent reason to suspect that they would have preferred a different outcome of the negotiations which took place before August, 1914, there clearly is a movement on foot to hold them responsible in the eyes of the people for whatever calamities may befall in order that through their sacrifice the present dynasty and the militaristic system may escape the deluge. Before long the situation will resolve itself into one of save himself who can, with violent controversies between the war party and the diplomatic service. These inspired attacks upon the German chancellor are indications of the effects the strain of this war is having upon the German machine.

THE GEORGIAN CIRCUIT.

The Georgian Circuit which was opened at Port Angeles on Saturday offers to the motorist an attraction which for variation and novelty cannot be surpassed on this continent and perhaps in the world. He can behold Nature's handiwork undisturbed in any other respect than by the construction of the road he is traversing. His panorama takes in mountain, valley, woodland, lakes, rivers and the sea. He passes through large cities, small cities, towns, villages and settlements. He can fish and hunt in a score of places if he has the time and inclination and always with the prospect of success. The two considerable gaps—between Victoria and Port Angeles and between the island and the mainland—increase rather than impair the attractiveness of the circuit, for the scenic programme loses not a bit of its charm in the trip across the strait and the gulf. The unique linking up of the motor highways of British Columbia and Washington is likely to play no inconsiderable part in the development of the Pacific northwest. It will attract many people of means and energy. It will open their eyes to the resources and possibilities of a country of which they hitherto knew very little.

SOLVING THE BALKAN PROBLEM.

The efforts of the allied diplomatists to re-establish the Balkan league evidently are about to receive highly-valued assistance from their enemies. The mobilization of numerous Austrian and German forces on the Serbian and Roumanian frontiers will do more to unravel the tangle in southern Europe than anything else, unless it be the forcing of the Dardanelles. Of a certainty it will force the virile little Balkan states into a spirit of compromise and concession among themselves. With the enemy of their independence at their gate united action in their own defence is vitally necessary; any other course would be suicidal. Self-preservation is the first law of nature even in the Balkans.

What would an Austro-German victory mean to the Balkan kingdoms, each of which is endowed with the fullest measure of national consciousness and pride? It would be the end of them. Turkey would re-annex all the territory taken from her by Bulgaria, Greece and Serbia in the last war, while what was left would be reduced to the ignoble proportions of German protectorates. Through her sacrifices and the valor of her devoted people Serbia has saved them from that fate up to the present, but Serbia has been through three wars and many campaigns in the last three years and there is a limit to her powers of resistance as the chief buffer in the Balkans. As long as the German menace was confined to the fields of Flanders, France and Poland, the Balkan kingdoms did not feel bound to interrupt their immemorial controversies or to discontinue their manifestations of neighborly dislike over the back fence. But the presence of three hundred thousand German and Austrian soldiers along the Save means trouble immediately ahead, and we anticipate a settlement of the main outstanding difficulties within a short time.

If German diplomacy were not subservient to the war party it would appreciate the way in which its methods have helped the allies' propaganda in the neutral states. The invasion of Belgium made a potential enemy for Germany of every little neutral in Europe. The sinking of the Lusitania determined every power not engaged in the struggle to prepare to take a hand in the subjugation of the inhuman monsters responsible for it if it could not be done without their aid. An attack upon Serbia with the object of isolating Roumania and ultimately rendering assistance to Turkey is going to solve the Balkan problem satisfactorily to the allies. Much as the little nations may dislike one another they have no desire to become extinct as independent entities. Having won their national freedom after battling for centuries they have no intention of folding their arms and surrendering themselves either to the Teutonic alliance or to Turkey. Nor are they overawed by Germany's progress in Poland. They would fight for their own if they had to face Germany, Austria and Turkey alone.

HELIGOLAND, GERMANY'S FANG.

A few days ago we noted the twenty-fifth anniversary of the cession of Heligoland to Germany by Great Britain. The transfer was part of a reciprocal arrangement by which Britain proclaimed a protectorate over Zanzibar while the claims of France to Madagascar were recognized. The transaction was criticized in Germany at the time on the ground that in return for a few acres of rock in the North Sea Great Britain had secured a key position which commanded the strip of littoral in East Africa which had been acquired by the Germans from the Sultan of Zanzibar. We know now how much that criticism was worth and we have good reason to appreciate the farsight of the Berlin statesmen of the day. Heligoland within the last year would have been worth a hundred Zanzibars to Great Britain. It commands the approach to the Elbe, Weser and the Kiel Canal. It is the sentinel which guards Germany's northern gate. In Germany's possession it is more of a fortified observation point and an aircraft station than a naval base. In fact it is too far from home to be a safe rendezvous for warships. But in British hands it would have been a deadly menace to German seapower, for Britain would have used it as a naval base besides a point of observation. Behind it the North Sea would have been a British lake. Had Britain kept Heligoland, Cuxhaven and Wilhelmshaven would have been destroyed and the Kiel Canal blockaded before this. However, the present war was not foreseen when the deal was made. France then was the traditional enemy, with Russia as an ever present alternative menace. The grandson of Queen Victoria was on the German throne. The line-up in those days was Great Britain and Germany against France and Russia. Wilhelm was under the control of long heads and nobody suspected the ultimate object of Prussian policy. We know all about it now and if there is anything certain in this world it is that one of the results of this war will be the extraction of Germany's fang in the North Sea. It either will be acquired by Great Britain or it will pass to Denmark along with Schleswig, of which it was once a part, on the understanding that it be not fortified.

A considerable number of persons who mean well but seem to be blind to the facts of the situation keep up an agitation for the organization of a national reserve on an extensive scale. Our shores seem to be sufficiently well guarded. There is no possibility whatever of an organized descent upon us by Germans "interned against their will" in the United States. No force could be formed there sufficient in numbers and equipment to cope with the strength concentrated here, except the authorities in the neighboring country were a party to the movement, which, of course, is unthinkable. The Germans at home are compassed about with Britain's iron ring. Not one of their ships could take to the sea and remain afloat for a day. Our government is doing its duty in providing all the men it can to assist the Mother Country in the heavy task she has on hand. If Britain were as secure from outbreaks of Hunnish "frightfulness" as Canada the situation would be eminently satisfactory.

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If Germany and Austria were anxious to have the Balkan states arrayed against them they could not have adopted any measure more calculated to bring that about than the dispatch of a big army to the Serbo-Roumanian frontier. If they press that movement they will find themselves confronted with another million men. Ordinarily we would assume that the Germans knew this better than most people, but the progress of the war has shown that antagonizing other powers is the very best thing that Germany does. Having tried to frighten Great Britain, what reason is there for supposing that she will not try to terrorize the Balkan states?

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King Cotton is threatening what he will do should Great Britain place his products on the contraband list. One Hoke Smith, who claims to speak for Cotton, says the United States should retaliate by placing an embargo on munitions and other exports. A fine idea from a business point of view, but we all can appreciate an example of Uncle Sam cutting off his nose to spite his face. After considering what Germany has done, and noting the effect of it, possibly the issuing of "notes" may be considered the limit of Uncle's activities.

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Germany has at least found out after more than a year's experience that this war is not going to be won with a rush. It is a long, long time since that drive on Paris failed.

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The Kaiser, reports say, is about to drop another pilot. Breakers ahead, and a lunatic's hand at the helm of the ship of state.

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Three witnesses subpoenaed to give evidence before the royal commission investigating the scandals in connection with the purchase of horses by the Canadian militia department, have found the climate of Nova Scotia very trying. They have gone to the United States "for the benefit of their health" and refuse to return. Just like Manitoba under Rogers and Roblin.

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Russian Experts Believe Fortress Will Hold Out for Months

Petrograd, Aug. 16.—Novo Georgievsk, one of the great Russian fortresses, which has checked the Germans in their onward rush since the Russians evacuated Warsaw, was closely invested by the Teutons to-day, according to a statement issued by the war office here.

Russian military experts believe the garrison, which number 60,000 men, will be able to withstand the German attack for months.

Paris, Aug. 16.—Cardinal Gasparri, papal secretary of state, has been recalled hurriedly to the Vatican from a health resort because of peace developments, according to a dispatch received here to-day from Rome.

The same dispatch said that Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria-Hungary, had sent an autograph letter to Pope Benedict, complimenting the latter for taking the initiative in favor of peace.

Socialists everywhere in Europe are being incited to organize an international peace congress.

Deputy Margari, secretary of a Socialist group, states that German Socialists disapprove of the violation of Belgium and favor the freeing of Belgium.

Nature's Antidote and Blood Poisoning

FROM THE LONDON TIMES

The Paris Academie des Sciences has awarded the Lecomte triennial prize of £2,000 to Sir Almroth Wright and has thus marked its appreciation of the work of one of the most distinguished of our war-bacteriologists. Sir Almroth has indeed earned for himself a special place in the ranks of that army whose duty it is to make war day and night against the forces threatening the health of our soldiers. His work at the 13th General hospital at Boulogne has been of a most distinguished character and, in the eyes of many of his professional colleagues, has opened a new era in the surgical practice of the battlefield.

Sir Almroth's investigations have been directed chiefly to solve the problem of the septic infection of wounds. The so-called "dirty" wound is, of course, the most prevalent condition met with in the field; it is the most deadly. Clean wounds heal as a rule quickly and easily, but even a trifling "scratch," if poisoned, is a danger to life. Lister attacked germs in wounds by means of antiseptics; later, the new surgery insisted upon a scrupulous cleanliness in which no germs should be allowed to exist—the so-called "aseptic" method. But scrupulous surgical cleanliness is manifestly impossible in war, so that when gangrene and blood poisoning began to be met with surgeons returned to the methods of Lister and used antiseptics freely.

The Limitations of "Listerism."

Sir Almroth Wright quite recently astonished his professional brethren by a very cogent attack on the indiscriminate use of antiseptics in war surgery. He showed by means of a very beautiful series of experiments that as the most powerful protection a man can obtain against blood poisoning is manifestly the protection afforded by his own blood, the first principle in the treatment of all wounds should be free drainage from a wound, the lymph, is kept pure and maintained in the condition intended by nature. This fluid is antagonistic to bacteria and kills them; but if it is allowed to remain in the wound it becomes decomposed and then forms a culture medium for the bacteria.

Free drainage of wounds is therefore essential; this is universally admitted. But when Sir Almroth Wright points out that routine treatment of wounds with antiseptics of greater or lesser strength may serve to close these wounds and so defeat the purpose of nature he speaks with the personal authority derived from his investigations. Strong antiseptics, he indicates, may and do coagulate the lymph and thus make of it a barrier to free drainage. The condition of affairs under this barrier is distressing. Bacteria soon decompose the lymph already present and then grow in it; there is no outlet for the mischief and a rapid poisoning may supervene.

Sir Almroth suggested that after a wound has been treated and opened up a fluid capable of stimulating the flow of lymph should be employed to bathe it. Such a fluid is a 5 per cent. salt solution with a little citrate of soda added to it. Frequent dressings are needful. This method has already yielded good results.

"Antiseptic" Inoculation.

But bacteriology cannot rest content with merely palliative measures. Sir Almroth Wright has worked earnestly to evolve a method of treatment by vaccine therapy, or better still, a method of prevention by that means. His researches, which are still being carried on on a large scale, have shown that vaccines do enable surgeons to control complications in wounds like erysipelas; they have been found more useful in well-drained than in badly-drained wounds, where indeed they have shown disappointing results.

On the other hand, there seems to be reason to hope that inoculation against blood-poisoning will afford real and important results. Experiments have already been carried out by Sir Almroth Wright with this "antiseptic vaccine," and a large supply of it is available. It is possible that as a result of the investigations at present being carried out it may be found advisable to inoculate against the infection of wounds before a man goes into the firing line. It must be obvious that were it possible to guarantee that a wound would not become infected a result of immense importance would have been achieved.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, August 16, 1890.

The old Dominion hotel is to be wrecked, to make room for another handsome three-storey and basement building. It was erected about 30 years ago, and thirteen years since Mr. Jones bought the property, and ran the business to the present year, when his son took charge.

The peat fire in the field off Moss street has been completely surrounded by a ditch dug by a squad of men under the direction of the chief engineer. The ditch is 500 feet in length, and four feet deep. It has been found impossible to extinguish the fire by ordinary means, and it was necessary to leave it in a confined space.

Thomas Keith, Thomas Foster, and C. C. MacKenzie have, as members elect for Nanaimo City and Nanaimo District, sent a protest to the Hon. John Robson, premier, against the presence of C. battery and militia of the province at Wellington, objecting to an armed force being sent into a peaceful and orderly community.

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Garden City Institute.—There will be no meeting of the Garden City Women's Institute to-night, at 8 o'clock.

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Theft Case Remanded.—The case against Hinkson Siddall, charged with having diverted to his own uses the sum of $65 paid him by Mrs. T. McKernon for payment to Henry T. Pridham at various periods between July, 1913, and the present date, was remanded in the police court this morning until next Monday.

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Concert at Shawnigan.—A concert is to be held next Saturday evening at Shawnigan, in the Athletic association hall, to raise funds to help the Red Cross society. Some excellent talent has been secured for the programme, among the artists to be Mrs. Roy Troup, Miss Phylis Davis and Robert McKenzie, of Victoria.

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Addresses Farmers' Institute. — W. H. Hayward, M. P. P., will address a meeting of the South Saanich Farmers' and Women's institutes on the subject of "Agricultural Problems and Their Remedy," on Thursday evening, August 19. As Mr. Hayward was a member of the royal commission on agriculture appointed by the provincial government, it is expected there will be a large attendance.

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Tour of Inquiry.—Ernest McGaffey, head of the bureau of information of the provincial government has gone to the mainland to inquire into the capabilities of various manufacturing concerns in connection with war contracts that may be given here by the Canadian or the British governments. He will be ten days inspecting factories at Vancouver and New Westminster and Nanaimo, and collecting particulars of capacity.

COMPLETE HIGH SCHOOL FOR OAK BAY DISTRICT

Action Caused by City Adding to Maintenance Charge; Two New Teachers

Oak Bay school board has decided to have a complete high school of its own. Some weeks ago the board came to the decision to start one class for preparatory pupils in the schoolhouse on Oak Bay avenue, the idea being still to send the elder pupils to the Victoria High school.

The new step has been caused by the action of the city in adding to the maintenance charge for tuition in the city High school the proportionate cost of capital expenditure. At the conference held last winter between the city and Oak Bay school boards the maintenace charge per pupil was given at $87. The bill now tendered for collection is based on a calculation of $122.88 per pupil, the amount being thus far in excess of the board's anticipation.

Three classes will be opened and two new teachers will shortly be appointed to take charge. One has already been chosen. The appointments will be made this week on account of school reopening next Monday. The step means that any individual pupils who continues to attend the Victoria High school will do so at his or her own expense, the Oak Bay school board taking no responsibility at all for tuition fees.

This is the first action of the kind which has been taken by any district municipality in so far as the education of senior pupils is concerned.

Baxter Hive Meeting.—The regular meeting of Baxter Hive, No. 8, L. O. T. M., will be held at the Eagles' hall on Tuesday evening at 7.30.

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Purple Star Lodge.—L. O. B. A. Purple Star lodge, 104, will hold their regular meeting in the Orange hall, Yates street, on Wednesday, August 18 at 8 p. m.

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Calls of Fire.—The fire department responded yesterday to a grass fire at the corner of Pembroke street and Quadra street, and to a roof fire at 1363 Tolmie avenue, where the damage was small.

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Pennock Arrives.—Detective MacDonald returned to this city this afternoon from Edmonton with W. H. Pennock, formerly a member of the jewelry firm of Pennock & Godfrey, who is charged with embezzling $2,000. He will likely be arraigned in the police court to-morrow morning.

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Hears of Brother's Death.—M. B. Wellburn, the Pandora street grocer, has received word of the death of his brother, Lieutenant Wellburn, while on service in the navy. Lieutenant Wellburn was for years second officer on the Empress of India, and was well known at this port. He was a royal naval reserve man; and upon the outbreak of war was attached to one of the vessels on patrol duty.

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Concert at Lampson Street. — On Friday, August 20, a grand concert is to be given in Lampson Street schoolhouse under the distinguished patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Barnard, in aid of the Canadian Patriotic fund. Lieut. Craddock and Mrs. R. H. Pooley have the arrangements in hand, and have spared no efforts to secure the best local talent. A complete programme will be published of those who are to take part. The concert will start at 8.30 sharp, and the proceeds will be devoted to Red Cross work.

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St. John Ambulance.—Dr. W. E. Home's class in first aid was examined last week by Dr. C. Denton Holmes, the results being as follows: Passed, 15; failed, 5. Those who passed were Mesdames Ellen M. Blakey, Ella Blashfield, Sarah Carmichael, Beatrice Chadwick, Alice Grant, Edith Greenhill, Elsie Lorimer, Willemetta J. Newbury, Ellen Shilcock, and Juliet Ward, and the Misses Constance M. Davis, Ada E. Irvine, Edna Peacock, Kathleen Porter and Flora Tait. Dr. Hudson's class will be examined to-night at 7 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A. building.

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Held Garden Party.—The Volunteer Sewing club held a garden party on Saturday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Collister, at their home, Victoria Arm, kindly lent for the occasion. It was an ideal day, and the many visitors who had the pleasure of attending enjoyed themselves very much. Cakes and confectionery were on sale, and netted over $25, the proceeds going to the fund for the purchase of materials which the volunteer workers will make up into garments for the needy. Tea, cake and ice cream were also served during the afternoon.

Despondency and the "Blues," usually the result of constipation, quickly succumb to Rexall Orderlies. Sold only by D. E. Campbell, The Rexall Store, 10c, 25c and 50c boxes.

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JOSEPH BLETHEN ON TOUR OF ISLAND

Head of Seattle Times Company Arrives Here; Another Touring Party With Him

A notable automobile visitor who arrived in the city to-day is Joseph Blethen, principal proprietor of the Seattle Times. Mr. Blethen's party, five in number, also met on the Sol Duc another party of five, headed by Ritchie Kinear, who will also make a tour of Vancouver Island.

Mr. Blethen was met at the wharf by Alderman Todd, Commissioner Cuthbert and Frank Fretwell, of the Seattle club, who is visiting Alderman Todd. The party called successively at the Empress hotel, the rooms of the Development association, and then were photographed as the touring cars left the first sign post on the Island highway at the corner of Government street and Belleville street.

Mr. Blethen in conversation stated that this would be his first visit to the Island, outside of Victoria, and he intended to follow the highway to Courtenay and Campbell river, possibly returning by way of Alberni to Victoria. A stop will be made to-night at the Qualicum Beach Hotel.

A special result of the visit will be that the Georgian circuit will receive considerable publicity, and the advantages of Vancouver Island roads will be placed before practically all the motorists of the Pacific northwest, through the medium of the automobile and tourist supplement of the Seattle Times. A special man will be sent to give a write-up of the Island roads, and a supplement will be devoted later on to Victoria and Vancouver Island. Mr. Blethen will express his individual opinions of the Island roads in that issue.

With Alderman Todd, Mr. Blethen took up questions of some improvements in the Pacific highway in Southern Oregon, and with Commissioner Cuthbert the modification of the regulations of the Pacific Coast Steamship company's automobile rules. The idea is to improve the dispatch of cars from San Francisco by steamer, and also to encourage owners to come to Vancouver Island while the roads in the south are unfit to travel.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

NATIONAL RESERVE OF CANADA.

Lieut.-Col. Gregory, commanding.

Company and recruits drill at the drill hall on Wednesday at 8 p. m. All ex-navy and army men are requested to join. Recruits wanted in the ambulance class.

By order,
CAPT. GEO. GRIMASON.

LEGION OF FRONTIERSMEN.

Parades—A foot parade will be held at the drill hall on Tuesday, August 17, at 8 p. m. A mounted parade will be held from McCleave's stables, Exhibition grounds, on Wednesday, August 18, at 7 p. m. A foot parade will be held at the drill hall on Friday, August 20, at 8 p. m.

Meeting—A general meeting will be held at headquarters on Wednesday, August 18, at 8 p. m. All Frontiersmen are specially requested to attend this meeting.

Dress—Full dress without holster at all parades.

By order,
S. ROWLINSON, Lieut.

MORE RAZORS WANTED

Consignment to Leave for England This Week; Many Firms Collecting.

Where are the razor-users of Victoria? An appeal was made more than a week ago for disused and second-hand razors to be sent to the men at the front after being re-honed and sharpened by the master cutler at Sheffield. Hardware firms, some of the leading clothiers, jewelers, and barbers of the city, as well as private individuals, have announced their willingness to act as collecting centres for voluntary gifts of such old razors. But there must be hundreds of razors still to come which the owners have neglected to bring in. It was hoped to make up a sufficiently big collection to send away this week, so any man with a second-hand razor which he can spare is reminded that the nearest hardware store will be glad to receive this from him, and pass it on to the central collecting point for shipment with the consignment which is going shortly to England.

F. A. Gowen's store at 1107 Government street, has been particularly fortunate, and up to date has collected about 175 razors. H. Aaronson has collected well over 70; Stewart and H. Croft, of Fort street, are all receiving donations of the kind.

Hardware firms of the city have collected to date roughly as follows: Drake Hardware company, 150; Wm. Angus Hardware Co., 24; B. C. Hardware, 13; R. A. Brown Hardware, 30; Fernwood Hardware, 25; Halliday & Sons, 30; Hickman Tye Co., 9; G. Powell Hardware, 35; E. G. Prior & Co., 3 doz.; Victoria Hardware, 12; Shore Hardware, 3 doz. The Oak Bay Hardware Co., West End Hardware, Watson & McGregor, W. S. Fraser & Co., Griffin & Son, and Hillside Hardware Co., are also all willing to take razors.

Agricultural Problems. — "Agricultural Problems and Their Remedy" will be the topic of a talk to be given to the South Saanich Farmers' institute at the Temperance hall, South Saanich on Thursday next. W. H. Hayward, M. P. P., who acted as chairman of the commission on agriculture appointed by the provincial government, will be the lecturer.

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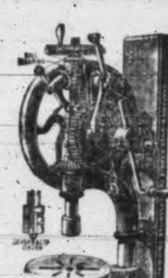

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Provincial Prohibition Convention

A Provincial Prohibition Convention will be held in Vancouver Wednesday and Thursday, August 25 and 26, 1915, under the auspices of the Business Men of the whole Province.

All who are interested in prohibiting the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in British Columbia are invited to attend. The Convention is open to all friends of Prohibition, regardless of Religious, Political or Economic views. Any man or woman who registers at the Convention and is in favor of and willing to work for Prohibition will be eligible to vote at the Convention.

Delegates from outside points may obtain reduced rates by applying at their local railway ticket office.

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Oak Bay Liberals Meet.—To-morrow night the Liberals of Oak Bay will gather in the schoolhouse there to hear their candidate, F. A. Pauline, discuss several questions of political importance. The association there holds monthly meetings, and they are proving very successful. A cordial invitation is extended to all people of the municipality to attend.

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Miss N. Crooks, of Milwaukee, Wis., is at the Hotel Strathcona.

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Mrs. Clarke is over from Vancouver and is at the Hotel Strathcona.

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E. P. Hassell is a Duncan visitor registered at the Hotel Strathcona.

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Miss Mildred W. Daniels, of Fernie, has arrived at the Hotel Strathcona.

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L. M. E. Shenton, of Calgary, Alta., is registered at the Hotel Strathcona.

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Miss Elsa Miller, of La Crosse, Wis., has arrived at the Hotel Strathcona.

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A. Sinclair is a New Westminster visitor who is at the Hotel Strathcona.

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Miss M. E. Ward is over from the mainland and is at the Hotel Strathcona.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pryor, of San Antonio, are registered at the Empress hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Townsend, of Edmonton, are guests at the Empress hotel.

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Mrs. J. C. Hutchison is here from Courtenay and is staying at the Hotel Strathcona.

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W. M. Pake is in the city from Telegraph Creek and is registered at the Hotel Strathcona.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McKee and Miss McKee, of Vancouver, are staying at the Empress hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wallace, Mrs. F. A. West, Miss Winifred West and Frank A. West, jr., of Stockton, Cal., are guests at the Empress hotel.

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Dr. and Mrs. B. O. Camfield have arrived from Chicago and are staying at the Hotel Strathcona.

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Chas. Nivins and Mrs. Nivins are visitors here from Regina and are staying at the Hotel Strathcona.

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L. E. Brakspear and Mrs. Brakspear are here from Duncan, and are registered at the Hotel Strathcona.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Dodge, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Max, Miss H. Dodge and F. P. Dodge, of Toledo, and Miss R. Covert, of Ann Harbor, Mich., are registered at the Empress hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Moore, Miss Helen Moore, Miss Katherine Moore, Miss Anna M. Mercer and John D. Moore are a party at the Empress hotel, arriving yesterday. Mr. Moore is president of the Empire Lumber company.

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T. Byron, of Banfield, is at the Dominion hotel.

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Jno. Parker, of Toronto, is at the Dominion hotel.

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S. T. Robinson, of Chemainus, is at the Dominion hotel.

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M. Scarfe, of Prince Rupert, is at the King Edward hotel.

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R. J. Steel, of Nelson, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. Philps, of Kerrisdale, are at the Dominion hotel.

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Geo. G. Rowbotham, of Kamloops, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

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G. W. Clark and family, of Calgary, are guests of the Dominion hotel.

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Mr. McIntyre and family, of Lillooet, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

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W. H. Bowen, of San Francisco, is a new arrival at the King Edward hotel.

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B. J. Walker is among the guests at the King Edward hotel from Windsor, Ont.

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E. W. Clayton and Mrs. Clayton, of Nelson, are guests of the Dominion hotel.

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W. N. McKay and Mrs. McKay, of Seattle, are registered at the Dominion hotel.

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J. Young and Mrs. Young, of Vancouver, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

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O. B. Riddle and Mrs. Riddle, of Portland, are registered at the Dominion hotel.

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F. H. Holzheimer, manager of the Hotel Sorrento, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

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J. N. Crawford and Mrs. Crawford, of Vancouver, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

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H. Morbrer, of Nanaimo, came down yesterday, and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

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The following Vancouver people are at the King Edward hotel: A. McKee, Stanley Ritchey, G. W. Ledingham, C. E. Cooper and R. F. Schneider.

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At Government House, by invitation of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Barnard, the nursing staff of No. 5 General Hospital were entertained at tea last Thursday. After tea the guests were invited to explore the grounds, the gardens of which are beautiful with late summer blooms at the present time, while the magnificent view from the south terrace was generally admired.

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The first christening ever performed at Tugwell Creek Presbyterian church, Otter Point, since the edifice was erected fifteen years ago, took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when Rev. Joseph McCoy, of Knox Presbyterian church, christened the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Clarke, of Shirley, with the name of Florence Evelyn. This, incidentally, is the first grandchild of Mrs. W. H. Anderson, of Malahat Farm, Otter Point, for more than twenty years resident in that district, and one of the first members of the congregation at Tugwell Creek church.

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Rev. J. B. Warnicker officiated at the marriage on Saturday of Mary Jane, daughter of the late James Wilkie, of Dundee, Scotland, and Samuel D. McHaffie, of this city, formerly of Edinburgh, Scotland. The event took place at the residence of the officiating minister, 523 Harbinger avenue. The bride wore her going-away costume of navy blue, with hat to match, and was attended by Miss Belle Allan, as bridesmaid. The best man was Hugh M. Simmers. Mr. and Mrs. McHaffie, who are spending their honeymoon in Seattle, will make their home at 222 Vancouver street, this city.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 16.—5 a.m.—The barometer has fallen over this province and rain is falling along the coast. Fine, hot weather continues in the interior, accompanied by local rains in Kootenay. With the exception of rain at Swift Current, fair, warm weather continues in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Tuesday.

Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong westerly and southerly winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, maximum yesterday, 65; minimum, 53; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 54; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Entrance—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 60; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.80; temperature, maximum yesterday, [illegible]; minimum, 60; wind, calm; weather, fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, maximum yesterday, 74; minimum, 44; wind, calm; weather, fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 52; wind, calm; rain, .28; weather, cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 56; wind, 4 miles S. W.; rain, .02; weather, rain, fog.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, maximum yesterday, 80; minimum, 58; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, fair.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, maximum yesterday, 74; minimum, 56; wind, 4 miles N. E.; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 58; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

Nelson—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 85; rain, .30.

Temperature.

	Max.	Min.
Fort George	70	..
Penticton	87	..
Calgary	80	50
Edmonton	86	54
Qu'Appelle	86	56
Winnipeg	86	58
Toronto	84	..
Ottawa	76	..
Montreal	78	..
Halifax	74	..

Victoria Daily Weather

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Saturday:

Temperature.

Highest	67
Lowest	54
Average	60
Minimum on grass	52
Maximum in sun	123

Bright sunshine, 10 hours 54 minutes.
General state of weather, clear.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Sunday:

Temperature.

Highest	65
Lowest	53
Average	59
Minimum on grass	49
Maximum in sun	125

Bright sunshine, 12 hours 6 minutes.
General state of weather, clear.

Ex-President Taft was on one occasion in consultation with Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvannia. Mr. Taft is gigantic, and the Senator is taller and weighs more than any other member of the senate. While the two were in earnest conversation an aggressive politician endeavored to enter the room, but an alert secretary politely interfered. "What are they doing in there?" asked the politician inquisitively. This pertinent question nettled the secretary and he answered, tersely—"Holding a mass meeting, I presume."

He (five years after)—"All this gush about love is extremely stupid; wherever did this silly book come from? I must say the person who selected it showed a very insipid taste." She—"It's the book you gave me during our honeymoon, John; we read it eleven times the first week we had it." (Prolonged silence.)

Scene from "Carpet From Bagdad" at the Dominion theatre.

TOURNAMENT TICKETS WILL HELP RED CROSS

Entries for the Victoria Benefit Tourney Will Close To-morrow Afternoon

Entries for the Red Cross tennis tourney, which will start on the Victoria Club courts, Wednesday afternoon, are coming in very rapidly, according to Secretary Foulkes, who is looking after the entries. The lists will be closed to-morrow afternoon, so that intending competitors are requested to register their names at once, in order that the committee may be able to draw up the preliminary matches by to-morrow night. Tickets for this tournament, which will admit the holder to all the matches, will be placed on sale to-morrow, a nominal fee of fifty cents being made for these tickets. Mr. Foulkes also stated this morning that it was probable that special prizes would be given the winners of the different classes, though nothing definite has been settled upon in this regard.

Seabright, N. J., Aug. 16.—R. Norris Williams successfully defended the Achelis challenge cup against the assault of Karl H. Behr on Saturday on the turf of the Seabright lawn tennis and cricket club and saved his trophy for another year. Williams played a remarkable game, but he faced Behr after Maurice E. McLoughlin had put him through a gruelling contest on Friday. He defeated Behr, the first player to lower the colors of the famous Davis cup player this season, by the score of 7-5, 6-4, 3-6, 6-2.

Seattle, Aug. 16.—Joe Tyler, of Spokane, successfully defended his title as Washington state tennis champion here Saturday, defeating Van Dyke Johns, of San Francisco, in a gruelling four-set match, 5-7, 6-4, 7-5, 6-0. Tyler's cool, steady game was pitted against the California's all-round brilliant game early in the match, but Tyler's tactics in time wore down his opponent, and the last set the champion whizzed through, six games to nothing. Johns apparently was tired, frequently netting the ball or double-faulting.

Tyler also shared another championship in the men's doubles. Playing with Hugh Kelly, of Seattle, he defeated Sam Russell and R. W. Fulton, both of Seattle, in three sets, 6-2, 7-5, 6-4. Tyler's terrific driving and accurate placing were features and were a large factor in the victory.

In the women's singles Miss Sarah Livingstone retained her title of state champion by defeating Miss Mayme MacDonald, of the University of Washington, in straight sets, 6-4, 6-3.

Miss Livingstone and Van Dyke Johns had little trouble winning the mixed doubles finals in straight sets, 6-3, 6-2.

The women's doubles finals went to Miss Livingstone and Mrs. Bragdon, who defeated Miss Goodfellow and Miss Lambuth, 6-3, 6-2.

AT THE THEATRES

PRINCESS THEATRE.

There is no place quite like the repertorial room of a big city newspaper. It has a peculiar fascination and atmosphere all its own. It is in such a room that the first act of "Graft," takes place, the powerful and absorbing play which the Allen Players are producing this week. "Graft" tells the story of a gigantic struggle made by a young reporter to free a city government from the clutches of a coterie of the "best" citizens." Its arraignment of abuse of power by those "higher up" is startling. The love story of the young reporter and a southern girl who inspires him is full of expectation, and the entire play throbs with the swift coursing life which only such a master dramatist as Eugene Walters can produce.

MAJESTIC THEATRE.

Chapter V. of "The Diamond From the Sky" will be shown at the Majestic to-day and to-morrow. The story proceeds where Luke Lovell, the gypsy, flees with the precious Stanley jewel. He is pursued by the police, and drops "the diamond from the sky" into a mail box. Suddenly the sheriff appears at the ball, demanding Arthur Stanley, wanted for the murder of Dr. Lee. There is a general fight, and Arthur escapes. He boards a moving freight train. Three tramps think him a "bull" and beat him, robbing him and taking his clothes. Arthur dons the discarded clothes of one of the tramps, leaves the train and secures work, as a farm hand. Meanwhile, the gleaming jewel is swept into a mail carrier's pouch and taken to the post office. The pouch, in need of repair, is sent away, with "the diamond from the sky" clinging to its interior. The pouch falls from a wagon and is found by Quabba, the hunchback organ grinder, who discovers the massive jewel. Quabba falls asleep and his monkey seizes the gleaming stone. With it the monkey climbs into a tree, where he comes upon an owl's nest. The beast places the jewel in the nest. The brilliant jewel—the Stanley charm against harm—lies gleaming in the nest of the blinking night bird.

MOVIE STARS AT PANTAGES.

Who is your favorite star of the movies? Is it winsome Mary Pickford, the most popular screen actress in the world, or Charlie Chaplin, the versatile and facile comedian, whose very appearance on the canvas is enough to fill any hall with roars of laughter? Or perhaps your choice may lie with Maurice Costello, the Vitagraph star, or Fatty Arbuckle, or Ford Sterling. Whoever may be your pick it will be possible to see his or her counterpart on the stage at Pantages this week. In the wonderful musical comedy, "Stars of the Movies," practically every one of the really high class stars will be seen, imitated faithfully and exactly in as good a vehicle as can be seen anywhere.

In addition to this big, expensive act there are four others, all of superb quality which will undoubtedly meet with the strong approval of all patrons. There is Lolla Selbini, or as she has been called, "Venus on Wheels"; Karl Emory and his pets, who will give the prettiest animal act in vaudeville; Sullivan and Mason, comedians; and Ines and Ryan.

COLUMBIA THEATRE.

"Kindling," the photodramatization in which Charlotte Walker makes her first appearance on the screen under the management of the Jesse L. Lasky Feature Play company, is a play with a "genuine punch." It tells the story of a woman of the tenements who helps a thief to rob the house where she is employed in order that she may get the money to leave the crowded city and bear a child under more healthful and normal conditions. It will be shown at the Columbia theatre Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

"Kindling," which had a tremendous Broadway success, and which is now produced in pictures by arrangement with E. J. Bowes, is not exactly a drama on a theory, but is more strictly a "theme play" than any of the photodramas heretofore offered by the Lasky management. Though it does not advocate socialism, it is a terrible attack on those rich property holders who, while pretending to be charitably inclined, force their tenants to live under the most unsanitary conditions. It is not a "eugenic" play, but it deals very plainly with the necessity of giving children who are brought into the world a fair chance in life.

ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE.

The new series of pictures shown for the first time this afternoon, and which will be continued for the first three days of this week are both amusing and interesting "Victor's at Seven," a three-reel comedy feature is a direct descendant from the old Palais-Royal farces, in which the author has put all the spirit and sparkle of its French ancestors. The sporty business man, flirtatious professor, jealous wife, Fifi the chorus girl, her jealous lover, private supper rooms, all the correct ingredients have been supplied by the author, and fashioned into a delectable bit of fooling by Producer C. Jay Williams. Hughie Mack, Anna Laughlin, Kate Price, Charles Brown, John T. Kelly, Nicholas Dunaew and Etier Lloyd, guarantee the grade of acting. There will also be shown a Selig Pictorial with some of the very latest views. "As It Happened" is a one-reel drama of the west. The heroine's brother brings about the misunderstanding which makes love's path a thorny one. The story is not complicated, but straightforward and interesting, and has been effectively transferred to the film. "The Rev. Salamander Unattached," has a new plot, with a baseball atmosphere, and makes this comedy doubly welcome at this season of the year. The production including a bit of the great American game, has been cleverly done. The Royal Orchestra has arranged a special programme of music to fit the pictures, and the whole should make an amusing evening's entertainment.

"Oh, Mildred!" cries one young lady, meeting a school friend of some two summers past, "I've heard the greatest piece of news. Can you keep a secret?" "I don't know," said the friend. "I never tried. What is it?"

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There are no dingy corners. Cleanliness everywhere. This environment, too, naturally has a wholesome effect on our employes.

6 Untouched by Hands

But Sterling purity and a daylight factory need this Sterling 6th point to provide a genuine hygienic safeguard.

A company rule makes each employe wear spic-and-span uniforms and caps—and gloves of white. These white gloves are fresh-laundered every morning.

That insures Sterling Gum Point 6, "Untouched by Hands."

⑦ What?

The 7th point of Sterling excellence we are keeping in reserve. We will not make it public for the present.

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"EAVESDROPPING."

To the Editor:—As a subscriber to the B. C. Telephone Co., Ltd., I would like to know if the conversations used over my wire are subject to the attention of any eavesdropper who cares to exert himself to tap the wire or otherwise poke his insolvent nose into my business? In an article in your contemporary this morning, headed "Commissioner as Sleuth," I notice this discreditable trick was adopted by one whose office demands uprightness of character and purity of motive as a first consideration.

With the fault and punishment of the offender I am not dealing, but if the ends of justice can only be attained by such doubtful expedients as eavesdropping on private conversations, we cannot pretend to hold in contempt violators of treaties, scraps of paper, or any Germ-Hun atrocity mongers. Such contemptible methods are out of place anywhere west of the Rhine.

Had the commissioner used his questionably obtained information to prevent the commission of a misdemeanor he would not have laid himself open to a charge of being an accessory before the fact.

Thank heaven he is a stranger to yours truly,

FAIRPLAY.

Aug. 14.

AMERICANS ABROAD.

To the Editor:—I have just received the following note:

American Consular Service.
Victoria, B. C., Canada.

Dear Sir:—As it is necessary under the law for Americans abroad to renew their registrations every year from the date of registration, kindly call at this office for this purpose.

Should no reply be received from you within a reasonable length of time it will be considered that you have left the province, and a notation will be made in the registry to that effect.

Yours truly,
AMERICAN CONSUL.

As the note is an unsigned carbon copy, I assume that it is being sent in like tenor to other Americans in British Columbia.

As there are very many Americans who do not care to have to report yearly at the office of the consul for registration, I write to say that the consul is in error. There is no such law, and in the very nature of things cannot be.

The American government can exercise no control over its citizens residing abroad. Americans while residing in Canada owe their allegiance alone to the British crown, and are subject alone to the laws of Canada. If the congress has undertaken to pass any law on the subject, which seems incredible, such act must necessarily be void.

American consuls keep books in which Americans, whether resident or transient, may register their names; but it is a matter purely optional with the American to do so or not.

To require an American to report annually to the American consul for registration smacks too much of the surveillance exercised over the interned alien enemy or the ticket-of-leave man.

A. A. FREEMAN.

FROM SERGEANT SLAVIN.

To the Editor,—I have been over three weeks recruiting sergeant for Col. Lorne Ross' 67th Western Scots, and never really was so disgusted with the non-patriotic feeling of Victoria's young able-bodied men as I am after nearly a month's canvassing for recruits. You hear words like this from our young bloods, "Let the Germans come here," or, "It is not far to the States," or, "If conscription does come we can cross the line?" I am ashamed of them, as they know as well as I do that it was the last straw that broke the camel's back. They, or any one of them, know they may be the last straw in this kaiser-made war. I would ask them to think it over and be men and British to do their bit. Think it over, boys, and say we will not be slackers, and not have it said when the war is over and the Huns are driven out of Belgium and back over the Rhine, "Well, he did not help to keep the Union Jack floating for freedom over the empire, but skulked behind in a billiard hall or saloon bar.

Eighty per cent. of the recruits we are getting are men over 35 years of age and married—some rich, some well off and some working for wages; some fathers of as many as twelve children with two sons now at the front.

Who has the spirit of what we are renowned for, British pluck? The young women of our city, I take off my cap to them. When I pass those nurses who are going over to the firing line to look after the sick and wounded and put up with as much hardship and danger as their brothers and face the dangers of war, I admire them. They are a credit to our province.

I myself am going to the firing line to do my bit. I am going in place of my son Frank, who wished to go with the Boyle Yukon contingent. He wrote his mother and asked her if he should go, and she said "No, you are an Englishman, born in London; let a few Canadian sons go first," and being the last male of the old auctioneer family from Moy Tyrone, Ireland, I tried to enlist before to have us to do our bit, but was turned down. I have seen and done all that any man can ever expect to do, but bag a dozen or two Huns, and if I do that for the empire I will be happy—even if I have my remains in Belgium, where I once had a battle with bare fists, not to a finish, as some of the Birmingham toughs gave me some of the German kultur and overpowered myself and the referee, and broke into the ring on the 23rd December, 1889.

Now, boys, come with a man who has been through the mill and wounded in the firing line and is returning with the men adapted for the task of helping to drive the Germans out and free the empire—even if we go to our long rest. Col. Ross has got the experience, and we who go with him are lucky to have a man that knows the ropes of the German and knows how to cope with their tricks.

FRANK P. SLAVIN.

"Young Barnes had married contrary to his father's wishes. Meeting his parents soon afterwards, the father said angrily: "Well, young man, I have made my will and cut you off with a dollar." "I am very sorry, father," said the youth contritely; "you don't happen to have the dollar with you, do you?"

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NUMEROUS DEEP-SEA VESSELS PASS CAPE

Since Friday Five Steamers Have Come Up the Straits

This week-end was a very busy one for the pilots, for, apart from the arrival of the Tacoma Maru and the Kentra, three other vessels have passed in at the Cape since Friday, while other deep-sea vessels are fully due.

To Load Bunkers.

Bound from the Orient to New York the British freighter City of Naples passed up to Comox to load bunkers this morning. She was reported by the Blue Funnel liner Talthybius on Friday, steaming west.

Ormiston Passed In.

To load a cargo of general freight at Sound ports the Harrison Direct liner Ormiston, Capt. McKillop, passed up to Tacoma yesterday morning at 6.30 o'clock. She is the vessel placed in the service to replace the Crown of Castile, which was torpedoed by a German submarine last April. It was recently announced that the Ormiston would call at British Columbia ports.

Orange River Due.

Another freighter which is expected to pass the Cape to-day is the British steamer Orange River, under charter by the C. P. R. company to relieve the freight pressure. She will not call at Victoria, but after being passed by the William Head quarantine officials, will proceed to Vancouver.

Will Load at Seattle.

The British steamer Merionethshire, passed in for Seattle from London via Yokohama and Vancouver yesterday. She is one of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Navigation Co.

WELSH COAL BEING EXPORTED IN BARGES

Cardiff, Wales, Aug. 16.—Considerable interest is being taken in shipping circles in the inauguration of a system of "barging" Welsh coal to France and Spain. The large plan has been adopted because of the great delays in handling coal at continental ports since the war. As some seven and a half million tons of coal were exported to France in 1913, the method assumes considerable importance to the Welsh coal trade.

Two sailing vessels of 2,800 tons dead weight each have been purchased and turned into sea-going barges; these will be towed to their destinations and dropped at the entrance to the port to await berthing facilities or act as coal hulks. Liners can also coal from the barges or the latter can utilize river and canal communications.

ANCIENT SAILING SHIPS ARE BEING REFITTED

Liverpool, Aug. 16.—The demand for steamships for government purposes has forced the shipping trade back on the long-rejected sailing vessel. Many of these which were chartered when steamer rates were at their highest are now arriving at British ports. The Mersey river is full of tapering spars and rigging not seen for about fifty years. The Asia, just arrived, was built fifty years ago; the Staut is forty-five years of age; the Erbin, under the Norwegian flag, just in from gulf ports, making the journey in thirty-five days, is twenty-eight years old, while several others range from twenty-nine to thirty-eight years.

TO LOAD AT SEATTLE.

Under charter to Frank Waterhouse & Co., the Japanese liner Shintsu Maru will load a cargo of supplies at Seattle for Vladivostok, the Russian base in Siberia in October. At the present time the steamer is en route from Japan to Honolulu.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Discoverer	Rushforth	3,043	Balfour, Guthrie	Liverpool	Aug. 18
Grathmorland	—	—	To load lumber at Victor		Aug. 20
Panama Maru	Kanao	3,756	R. P. Rithet	Yokohama	Aug. 21
Sado Maru	Asakawa	3,880	Great Northern Co.	Yokohama	Aug. 25
Makura	Phillips	4,900	C. P. R.	Sydney	Aug. 26
Machaon	Bevon	4,277	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	Aug. 28
Hawaii Maru	—	—	R. P. Rithet	Yokohama	Aug. 31
Civilian	Lord	5,939	Balfour, Guthrie	Liverpool	Sept. 7
Benefactor	Smith	3,499	Balfour, Guthrie	Liverpool	Sept. 10

DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES

Tacoma Maru, R.P.Rithet, H'gk'g Aug. 27
Makura, C. P. R., Sydney .... Sept. 1
Sado Maru, G. N., Hongkong .... Sept. 7

SAILERS COMING

Columbia, American schooner, from Salaverry, Peru, for Royal Roads. To load lumber at Vancouver for Australia.
Endymion, Russian barque, from Sydney, Australia, to load lumber at Vancouver.

COAST SERVICES

From Northern Ports

Princess Sophia, C.P.R., Skagway, Aug. 16
Princess Alice, C.P.R., Skagway, Aug. 23
Prince George, G.T.P., P. Rupert, Aug. 18
Prince Rupert, G.T.P., P. Rupert, Aug. 20

For Northern Ports

Prince Rupert, G.T.P., P. Rupert, Aug. 17
Prince George, G.T.P., P. Rupert, Aug. 19
Princess Sophia, C.P.R., Skagway, Aug. 20

For West Coast

Tees, Holberg .... Aug. 30

From West Coast

Tees, Clayoquot .... Aug. 19

From San Francisco

City of Puebla, Pacific Coast ...... Aug. 22
Umatilla, Pacific Coast ...... Aug. 29

For San Francisco

Umatilla, Pacific Coast ...... Aug. 20

For Comox

Charmer, C. P. R. ...... Aug. 17

For Rivers Inlet

Chelohsin, Union Steamship Co. .. Aug. 18

FERRY SERVICES

For Vancouver

Princess Victoria leaves 2 p. m. daily.
Princess Adelaide leaves 11.45 p. m. daily.

From Vancouver

Princess Mary arrives 6.45 a. m. daily.
Princess Charlotte arrives 2.45 p. m. daily.
Princess Adelaide arrives 6.30 p. m. daily.

For Seattle

Princess Charlotte leaves 4.30 p. m. daily.

From Seattle

Princess Victoria arrives 1.00 p.m. daily.

For Tacoma

Iroquois leaves 8.30 a. m. daily.

From Tacoma.

Iroquois arrives 6.30 a. m. daily.

For Port Angeles

Sol Duc, 10 a. m. except Sunday.

From Port Angeles

Sol Duc, 9 a. m. except Sunday.

MAPLE LEAF LINER COMPLETES LONG TRIP

Kentra Arrives From New York With Large Steel Shipment

Almost two months out from New York, the Maple Leaf liner Kentra, Captain Melling, arrived at the outer wharf yesterday morning at 7 o'clock. The vessel arrived at William Head on Saturday evening, but was too late to be passed by the quarantine station officials.

En route the Kentra was delayed eighteen days at Colon, a Panama canal seaport, and 10 days at Buena Ventura, where she discharged a cargo of steel products from New York. Aside from the death of one of the crew T. J. Kelly, an oiler, the first officer reports a very uneventful voyage. The death of Kelly occurred off the coast of lower California while the vessel was steaming north to Victoria.

Splendid weather was encountered on the entire voyage and the vessel entered the Straits about the same time as the Tacoma Maru. After discharging 225 tons of steel products from New York the Kentra proceeded to Vancouver at 6 p. m. yesterday, where she will discharge a 500-ton shipment of general freight. After unloading at Canadian ports the vessel will proceed to Seattle, where another large consignment awaits her on her homebound voyage to New York.

Under American Registry.

This is the first passage of the Kentra to Victoria since being placed under American registry. At the outbreak of the European war the vessel was transferred from British registry, and now plies under the American flag. She is very well known in this port.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

San Francisco, Aug. 15.—Arrived: Str. National City, from Fort Bragg; str. Sea Foam, from Mendocino; str. Daisy, from Gray's harbor; str. City of Topeka, from Eureka; str. W. F. Herrin and str. Great Northern, from Astoria; str. Santa Monica, from Eureka; str. Capt. A. F. Lucas, from Seattle via Port Wells. Sailed: Str. Bowdoin, for Astoria. Aug. 14.—Sailed: Str. President, for Seattle, at noon; str. William H. Murphy, for Puget Sound ports.

Eureka, Aug. 14.—Sailed: Str. Nome City, for Seattle, at 5 p. m.

Astoria, Aug. 14.—Sailed: U. S. S. Albany, for Puget Sound navy yard, at 4.30 p. m.

Port Townsend, Aug. 15.—Passed inward: Str. Umatilla, for Seattle, at 4.10 p. m.; str. Eastholm, for Tacoma, at noon; U. S. cable str. Burnside, for Seattle, at 2.40 p. m.; str. Hilonian, for Seattle, at 3.10 p. m.; str. Tacoma Maru, for Seattle, at 4.15 p.m.; str. Ormiston, for Tacoma, at 5.30 p. m., after passing quarantine. Arrived: Str. Ormiston, from Newport News via Victoria, B. C., at 9.40 a. m. Passed outward: A steamer, at 5 a. m.; str. Stanley Dollar, at 7 a. m.; str. El Segundo, at 8.20 a. m.

Tacoma, Aug. 15.—Arrived: Str. Ormiston, from Newport News via Victoria, B. C. Sailed: St. Stanley Dollar, for west coast ports.

Raymond, Aug. 15.—Sailed: Str. Raymond, for San Francisco.

Aberdeen, Aug. 15.—Arrived: Str. G. C. Lindauer, from San Francisco; str. Daisy Gadsby, from Portland.

Point Arguello, Aug. 15.—U.S.S. Missouri, U. S. S. Ohio and U. S. S. Wisconsin passed Point Arguello at 3.20 p.m.

Portland, Aug. 15.—Arrived: Str. Beaver, from San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Bear, for San Francisco.

Flavel, Aug. 15.—Arrived: Str. Northern Pacific, for San Francisco.

Yokohama, Aug. 13.—Arrived: Str. Aki Maru, from Seattle, via Victoria, B. C.

Honolulu, Aug. 14.—Sailed: Schr. J. M. Weatherwax, for Sydney, N.S.W.

Shanghai, Aug. 13.—Arrived: Str. Bankoku Maru, from Portland via Comox, B.C.

TIDE TABLE.

August.

Date	Time Ht h. m. ft.	Time Ht h. m. ft.	Time Ht h. m. ft.	Time Ht h. m. ft.
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2	2:51 4.0	.....	.....	19:39 8.1
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4	4:56 3.1	.....	.....	20:34 8.3
5	5:43 2.6	.....	.....	19:24 8.3
6	6:23 2.3	.....	.....	19:42 8.4
7	7:00 1.9	.....	.....	21:03 8.3
8	7:35 1.6	18:00 7.9	19:09 7.9	23:21 8.3
9	8:09 1.4	18:12 7.6	19:46 7.5	.....
10	0:16 8.3	8:43 1.3	18:00 7.3	20:27 7.0
11	1:11 8.2	9:18 1.5	16:48 7.1	21:15 6.5
12	2:10 7.9	9:55 1.9	16:59 7.1	22:09 5.8
13	3:14 7.6	10:35 2.6	17:16 7.2	23:06 5.2
14	4:23 7.0	11:14 3.4	17:38 7.4	.....
15	0:04 4.4	5:40 6.5	11:47 4.2	17:58 7.7
16	1:04 3.7	7:16 6.1	12:08 5.2	18:22 8.1
17	2:05 3.0	9:22 6.0	11:21 5.9	18:49 8.5
18	3:07 2.3	.....	.....	19:20 8.8
19	4:08 1.7	.....	.....	19:59 8.9
20	5:06 1.3	.....	.....	20:54 8.9
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The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the dry dock at any tide, add 19.0 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Bridget was applying for a place as cook, and when asked for a reference, presented this note: "To whom it may concern: This is to certify that Bridget Foley has worked for us one week, and we are satisfied."

ENORMOUS QUANTITY OF SUPPLIES AT BASE

War Material Piled for Miles Around Russian Seaport

According to information brought by the Blue Funnel liner Talthybius, which docked here last Friday evening, miles of supplies of all descriptions are piled up at Vladivostok, the great Russian supply station. The Blue Funnel liner was ten days at the Russian base where she discharged close to 20,000 tons consigned for the Russian government. Fourteen vessels were tied at the piers, and six were lying in the stream awaiting their berths. The entire cargo aboard the Talthybius was consigned for the Russian government which was at once discharged upon the arrival of the vessel. Emptying the large shipment from the vessel in ten days is considered remarkable.

Miles of Supplies.

Supplies, the officers of the Talthybius state, are of every description. Foodstuffs, cotton and munitions of war cover close to forty square miles of territory at the Siberian port. Daily large shipments are being conveyed to the battlefront by the trans-Siberian railway. Boats from almost every country in the world are now delivering supplies to the Russian base.

CALIFORNIA YACHT WINNER OF TROPHY

San Francisco, Aug. 16.—The sloop Westward, of the California Yacht Club, of San Francisco, won easily the first race for the gold trophy cup offered by King George of Great Brittin in the Pan-American Exposition regatta over a fourteen-mile course. Her time was 1:58.05.

The Presto, of the Corinthian Yacht Club, was second; Mah-Pe, Challenger and Greyieve, all of the San Francisco Yacht Club, second, third and fourth, respectively.

Competition for the Royal cup was restricted to 38-foot sloops. In the race over the same course for the boats of the 20-foot class, Sir Tom, of the Seattle Yacht Club, was second, with a time of 2 hrs. 29 min. and 50 sec. Sir Tom ran second to the Fleur de Lis, of the San Francisco Yacht Club, whose time was 2:55.25.

Westward, with a time of 1:58.05, won the race of the 38-foot boats, and the Ruby S., of the San Francisco Yacht Club, was first among the 25-foot boats. The time was 2:21.47.

SCHOONER WEATHERWAX REPAIRED AT HONOLULU

A cablegram from Honolulu states that the little American schooner J. M. Weatherwax, Capt. Ayres, left that port on Saturday, bound for Sydney, N. S. W. On May 31 the little sailer left the Royal Roads with 550,000 feet of lumber, loaded at Chemainus bound for the Antipodes, but after making the run to Honolulu in 24 days, she was forced to put into the Hawaiian port for provisions and repairs, which required until Saturday to complete.

She is a very small type of schooner, and should make her port of destination early next month.

UMATILLA DELAYED ON TRIP FROM SOUTH

Several hours late the Pacific Coast Steamship company steamer Umatilla arrived at the outer docks yesterday noon from San Francisco, with a very heavy passenger list, thirty-nine passengers disembarking, and seventy-nine going through to Seattle. A number of tourists embarked here for the "suit case" excursion "round-the-sound," while a large number of tourists joined the vessel at Seattle. She was due to arrive from the south yesterday morning at 9 o'clock but was delayed.

IDOMENEUS LEAVES FOR OLD COUNTRY TO-DAY

Having completed loading her cargo of 1,500,000 feet of lumber, consigned to the British government, and 75,000 cases of canned salmon, the British steamer Idomeneus, Capt. Andrews, of the Blue Funnel fleet, is expected to leave the Puget Sound this evening for the United Kingdom. She will not call at Victoria on her outbound voyage, the first port en route to her destination being San Francisco, where the vessel will add an additional shipment of salmon. The first port in the United Kingdom the Idomeneus will call at is London, from where she will proceed to Liverpool to discharge the remainder of her cargo and reload for North Pacific coast ports.

"I am a firm believer in advertising," said a great advertising expert. "I impute a great part of my own success to it." Here the expert's sunburnt and healthy face was illuminated by one of his rare and charming smiles. "When a duck lays an egg," he said, "she waddles back to the duck-pond in indifferent silence. But when a hen lays an egg her frantic cackles make it known. The hen advertises. And that, my dear friends, is why the world eats hen's eggs instead of duck's eggs!"

"You might as well admit your guilt," said the detective. "The man whose house you broke into positively identifies you as the burglar." "That's funny," said the burglar. "What's funny?" asked the detective. "How could he identify me when he had his head under the bedclothes all the time I was in his room?" asked the burglar.

TACOMA MARU MADE PORT AT DAYBREAK

Captain Reports Splendid Weather on Passage From Orient

Completing a smart voyage across the Pacific, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Tacoma Maru, Capt. Hamada, docked at the Outer Wharf early yesterday morning from the Orient. Weather was ideal the whole passage and at no time did the fog hamper the vessel.

Late Saturday night the ship arrived at William Head, but was too late to pass quarantine. At daybreak yesterday she cleared and proceeded to the wharf.

Heavy freight shipments in the Orient delayed the Tacoma Maru two days, but through favorable weather conditions she was able to gain some hours on her run to Victoria. Her passage was uneventful.

After discharging 250 tons of general Oriental merchandise, the liner proceeded to Seattle, where she will unload a valuable cargo of raw silk consigned for the East, and a shipment of Oriental freight.

Seventy steerage passengers made the passage on the liner, fourteen disembarking here and 54 at Seattle.

Aki at Yokohama.

The Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner, Aki Maru, Capt. Noda, which left Victoria on July 27, arrived at Yokohama on Friday, en route to Kobe and Hongkong.

WIRELESS REPORT

Aug. 16, 8 a.m.

Point Grey—Clear; calm; bar., 29.88; temp., 54.
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; bar., 29.80; temp., 54; sea smooth.
Pachena—Overcast; calm; bar., 29.59; temp., 56; sea smooth.
Estevan—Foggy; calm; bar., 29.72; temp., 55; sea moderate.
Triangle—Overcast; N. W., light; bar., 29.98; temp., 54; sea moderate.
Dead Tree Point—Overcast; calm; bar., 30.01; temp., 60; sea smooth.
Alert Bay—Cloudy; N.W., light; bar., 29.96; temp., 58; sea smooth.
Ikeda—Clear; N. W., strong; bar., 29.70; temp., 58; sea moderate.
Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; bar., 29.87; temp., 50; sea smooth.

Noon.

Point Grey—Foggy; calm; bar., 29.94; temp., 69; thick seaward.
Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; bar., 29.85; temp., 74; sea smooth.
Pachena—Misty; overcast; calm; bar., 29.56; temp., 60; light swell.
Triangle—Cloudy; W., light; bar., 30.04; temp., 68; sea smooth.
Alert Bay—Clear; S. E.; bar., 29.80; temp., 65; sea smooth.
Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; bar., 30.04; temp., 68; sea smooth.
Prince Rupert—Clear; S. E., light; bar., 29.70; temp., 65; sea smooth.
Ikeda—Cloudy; S. E., light; bar., 29.70; temp., 65; sea smooth.

Several ladies sat in their club a few evenings ago, discussing the virtues of their husbands. "Mr. Bingleton," said one of them, referring to her life partner, "never drinks, never swears; indeed, he has no bad habits." "Does he ever smoke," some one asked. "Yes, he always likes a cigar just after he has eaten a good meal. But I suppose that, on an average, he doesn't smoke more than once a month." Some of her friends laughed, but she didn't seem to understand why.

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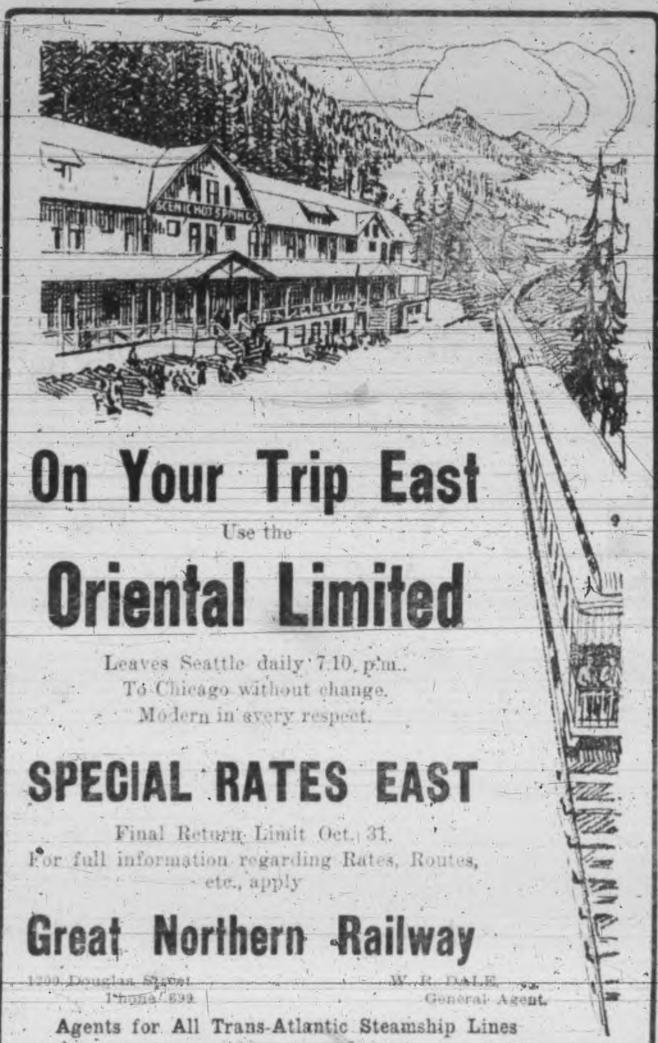

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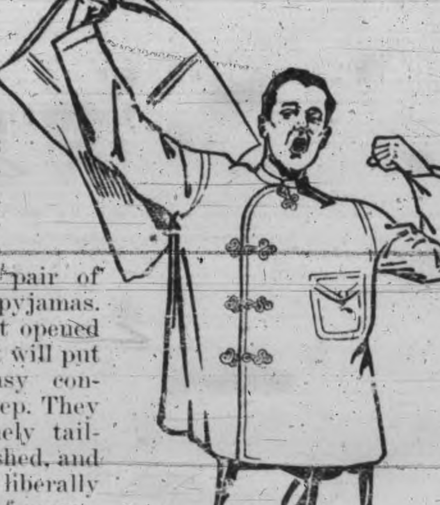

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GAME REGULATIONS

Following is a synopsis of the regu-lons for the open season for game roughout the province as provided by order-in-council: Shooting rts for deer on September 1, and at deer shooting, grouse shooting and easant shooting legally open on ree different dates.

Grouse—(Blue, Franklin and Ptarmigan)—Open season throughout the ovince September 15 to November 30.

Ruffed Grouse—(Willow" Grouse)—Dewdney, Richmond, Delta, Chilliack Electoral districts, and that porn of the Comox Electoral district on mainland, open season October 15 December 15. There is no open ison for Willow grouse in Esquiilt, Saanich, Islands Electoral disicts. Throughout the rest of the proice, September 15 to November 30.

Prairie Chicken—In Cariboo, Lilet, Kamloops, Okanagan, Cranbook, Fernie, Columbia Electoral discts and in that portion of the Yale ectoral district north of the main e of the C. P. R. Open season Sepnber 15 to October 15. In Similkaen Electoral district, September 15 September 30.

ock Pheasants—In Delta and Richnd Electoral districts, October 15 to vember 15; in Dewdney, Yale and illiwack Electoral districts, open ison October 15 to December 15. On ncouver Island—In Nanaimo, Newstle and Comox Electoral districts, en season October 1 to October 31; Denman and Hornby Islands, Cowan, Saanich and Island Electoral tricts, October 1 to December 15.

den Pheasants—In Denman and rnby Islands only, December 1 to cember 15.

Quail—The seasons on Vancouver and are the same as for Pheasants.

Ducks and Snipe—On Vancouver and open season September 15 to bruary 15, 1916. Throughout the reinder of the province, September 1 January 21, 1916.

Geese (of all kinds)—In Richmond, ta and Chilliwack Electoral dists, open season September 1 to Febry 29, 1916. Throughout the reinder of the province, September 1 March 31, 1916.

Deer (of all kinds)—Throughout the vince September 1 to December 15.

Shooting is prohibited on the Colony Farm and in certain portions of Burnaby municipality, particulars of which are obtainable on application to the game warden's office.

M'GRAW GETS BENTON BY PROTEST ROUTE

FIGHT AT ST. LOUIS

Cincinnati, Aug. 16.—John McGraw, manager of the New York National league baseball club, upon hearing that John ("Rube") Benton had been sold by the Cincinnati club to the Pittsburg club, filed a protest with President Tener, of the National league, claiming that he had an option on Benton which does not expire until Monday. Hearing of McGraw's protest, President Herrmann, of the Cincinnati club, said that the option had been overlooked, and ordered Benton to report to the New York club.

St. Louis, Aug. 16.—A double-header, which was enlivened by a storm of pop bottles and cucumbers, directed against Umpire Byron, and by Roger Bresnahan's spectacular attempt to attack a fan in the grandstand who had insulted him, was divided between Chicago and St. Louis here yesterday.

San Francisco, Aug. 16.—Claude Williams, star pitcher of the Salt Lake team of the Pacific Coast league, has been sold to the Chicago Americans.

BIPLANE BEATS AUTO.

Elma, Aug. 16.—In the five-mile race at the fair grounds here yesterday between James Parsons, in his automobile, and Herbert Munter, in his biplane, was won by the latter, the time being 5.11 1-2. Parsons also tried for the mile record on a half-mile dirt track, which he made in 1:14 3-4. He also made the three-mile run, the time being 3:41.

WINS THREE TITLES.

Seattle, Aug. 16.—Miss Sara Livingstone, singles tennis champion of the state, won her third championship in one day Saturday at the Firlock Club courts, when, playing with Mrs. Bragdon in the final round of the ladies' singles event, she and her partner defeated Miss Myra Lambuth and Miss Goodfellow in straight sets, 6-3, 6-2.

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SPORTING NEWS

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE WILL FINISH

M'KENRY WINS HIS SECOND GAME

Former Victoria Stars Busy in the Majors; Haworth Makes Debut; Seattle Beats Spokane

With four clubs remaining, the Northwestern league has decided to go through the balance of the season, and will not close until September 19. President Blewett has issued a revised schedule and a feature of this is that the teams will play split weeks, except at Spokane, where the long jump prohibits the team playing less than seven games. Seattle was strong for the continuation of the schedule, Dugdale figuring that he has a good chance for the pennant. Tacoma has released Elmer Hanson, the former Victoria pitcher, while Vancouver has let out Cliff McCarl and taken on Giddings for the initial sack.

Former Victoria players were very prominent in the major leagues games on Saturday and Sunday. Erve Kantlehner figured in two games for the Pittsburg Pirates as a relief hurler, while Homer Haworth broke into the game at Cleveland, booting the only fielding chance he had. McKenry won for Cincinnati yesterday, making his second win of the week for the Reds.

Cincinnati, Aug. 16.—Cincinnati won both games of a double-header from Pittsburg here yesterday with the same score in each game, 6 to 2. In the first game the local team took the lead and held it to the end, forcing Pittsburg to work three pitchers.

The second game was an uphill fight, Pittsburg scoring one run in the first and another in the third, where Cincinnati had but one hit off Harmon up to the seventh, but tied the score in that inning and won out in the eighth. McKenry pitched steady ball in the second game. Scores:

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	2	8	3
Cincinnati	6	11	3

Batteries — Conzelman, McQuillan; Gibson, Murphy, Dale and Clarke.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	6	5	2
Pittsburg	2	8	1

Batteries — McKenry and Wingo; Harmon and Murphy.

Tacoma, Aug. 16.—Smith held Tacoma well in hand yesterday, while Meikle and McGinnity were both hit hard by the Vancouver batsmen. None of the Tacoma runs were earned, two being gifts through misplays on the part of the visitors.

Spokane, Aug. 16.—After two solid beatings during the week, Walter Mails, Seattle's handsome young southpaw, came back yesterday to show the Spokane's something, and how well he did it can be told in a glance at the box score.

The big chap allowed only five hits and won his game handily, 9 to 2, because his mates hammered Ross Wicker hard at critical moments, but it is significant that he did his best and tightest pitching in the early innings when the issue was much in doubt.

The series ends four out of seven for Spokane. By taking the last two games, while Vancouver was trimming Tacoma, Seattle moved into a tie for second place. The Tealykums have come up from last place within the last six weeks and it remains to be seen if they can gain the one remaining hurdle. In Indians have a full nine-game lead, a trifle better than that because they have played fewer games and a nine-game gain would still leave either Seattle or Tacoma a point or so shy.

LOCAL HORSES CLASS OF COAST

Victoria Matinee Club Will Hold Big Meet on Labor Day; Vancouver Results

Herb. Fullerton, the well known local horseman, leaves to-night for Vancouver, where he will take in the exhibition race meet, in which quite a few Victoria horses are entered. Mr. Fullerton fully expects to see May Putnam win the amateur class, while he also looks for Ella Erickson, San Lucas Maid, Minnie M. and Spot Girl, to make good showings in their respective races. The Victoria Matinee club intends to hold a big race meet at the Willows on Labor day, when money prizes will be hung up, so that the entry of the fastest horses at the Vancouver track is assured for the local races.

The races start to-morrow at Vancouver, and will continue all week, a few of the local horsemen also sending over some of their animals for the horse show events that will be a feature of the Mainland exhibition.

Vancouver, Aug. 16.—Lady Hal, owned and driven by H. G. Cox, won the feature race of Saturday's card at the Vancouver exhibition race track when she trotted three splendid heats in the 2.20 and 2.25 pace mixed and was never headed in any heat. The purse was $500, which was divided three ways, Nellie J. winning second money, taking three seconds, and Prince Malone winning third.

The afternoon's programme included four races. In addition to the one just mentioned there was a free-for-all amateur, and the Fields and Boyd Challenge Cup race. The final was a running race, 4½ furlongs, all ages, 5 lbs. below scale.

The following is a summary of the races:

First Race.

2.20 trot and 2.25 mixed pace; purse $500:

9—Lady Hal	1	1	1
1—Nellie J.	2	2	2
2—Prince Malone	4	4	3
8—Balduc	5	3	5
5—The Frisco	3	5	6
6—Johnny D.	6	7	4
7—Alex. William	7	6	7
3—Glad Wren (scratched).			
4—Aurelia Low (distanced).			
10—Tosoro (distanced).			
11—Hal Scott (scratched).			

Time—2.15¼; 2.16¾, 2.19½.

Second Race.

Free-for-all pace; amateurs.

1—Olga S.	1	2	1
2—Glad Wren	2	1	3
5—Monarch Boy	5	3	2
4—Nellie Wilkes	3	4	4
6—Myrtle Pointer (withdrawn)	4	5	.
3—Ella Erickson (scratched).			
7—San Lucas Maid (scratched).			

Time—1.07½, 1.08½, 1.08½.

Third Race.

Fields and Boyd cup:

2—Uncle Tom	2	1	1
1—Chromo	1	3	2
3—Morris Barker	3	2	3
4—Lou Nut (scratched).			

Time—1.13½, 1.12½, 1.13¼.

Fourth Race.

Running, 4½ furlongs, all ages, 5 pounds below scale.

Ada, first; Siscus, second; Salvage, third. Time, 57 seconds.

ATHLETES ENLIST

Two more prominent soccer players have answered the call for recruits in the signing up of F. Kerley and R. Clarkson, of the Sir John Jackson club, who are now with the Pioneer regiment. Both of these players starred with the city league champions in the 1914-1915 schedule.

Three of the most promising glove artists in the capital have also enlisted, Roy Baker, Guy Martin and Billy Sneddon, signing on with the 88th Fusiliers, for overseas service.

MAJOR LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Detroit, 5; Chicago, 2.
Cleveland, 1; St. Louis, 2.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	68	35	.660
Detroit	66	39	.629
Chicago	62	42	.596
Washington	54	51	.514
New York	51	50	.505
Cleveland	41	62	.398
St. Louis	41	66	.383
Philadelphia	33	71	.317

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Cincinnati, 6, 6; Pittsburg, 2, 2.
Chicago, 3, 1; St. Louis, 1, 8.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	55	45	.550
Brooklyn	57	49	.538
Chicago	53	51	.510
Boston	52	52	.500
Pittsburg	52	54	.491
New York	49	51	.490
St. Louis	51	58	.468
Cincinnati	48	57	.457

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Vernon, 5; Portland, 4.
San Francisco, 7, 7; Salt Lake, 5, 4.
Oakland, 5, 8; Los Angeles, 4, 5.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Los Angeles	77	60	.562
San Francisco	75	60	.555
Vernon	67	67	.500
Oakland	64	74	.463
Portland	59	69	.461
Salt Lake City	60	72	.455

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Newark, 8, 8; St. Louis, 2, 1.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Newark	61	47	.565
Chicago	61	47	.565
Kansas City	57	48	.543
Pittsburg	57	46	.553
St. Louis	57	51	.528
Buffalo	50	62	.446
Brooklyn	49	61	.445
Baltimore	38	69	.355

FABRE TO ENTER.

Notwithstanding his regrets that he was unable to obtain sufficient money to take a trainer with him, Edouard Fabre, the winner of the Boston Marathon, left Montreal last Monday for San Francisco all by himself, being given a good send-off by several members and directors of the Richmond club.

He will run in the big Panama Exposition Marathon on the 28th of this month, and it is understood that a joint trainer will be provided for the three men who have come from the east as winners of Marathons in their respective districts.

GARRISON ELEVEN BEAT THE FIVE C'S

Ismay and Orr Scored Enough Runs to Win for Albions Over Civil Service

Garrison cricketers maintained their standing at the top of the Victoria and District Cricket League standing on Saturday when they defeated the Five C's in a one-sided match, the Garrison batters totalling 134 in their turn at the wicket, while the Five C's could only secure 105 in their two innings. This win, together with the defeat of the Civil Service club by the Albions, gives the Artillery eleven a commanding position. The Albions hung up the finest score of the day, securing 221, while the Civil Service batters could do little against the very effective bowling of Sparks and Orr. Victoria and Civic Service played a draw match on the Jubilee Hospital grounds, the Victoria club having a nice lead, only a magnificent stand by the Civics gaining a draw.

E. W. Ismay and H. R. Orr featured the win of the Albions by two very fine innings. This partnership was really responsible for the Albion victory. Ismay went in first and secured 78, Orr being credited with the fine score of 75, Speak taking both of these wickets. J. C. Lowe led the Civil Service eleven with 22. The complete score:

Albion.

E. W. Ismay, c Pite, b Speak	78
H. B. Hudson, c Welch, b Freeman	3
A. H. Ackroyd, b Freeman	4
H. R. Orr, c Freeman, b Speak	75
H. A. Ismay, c and b Speak	5
E. P. Ward, c Lowe, b Speak	15
G. H. Walton, b Speak	7
G. W. Lifton, c Freeman, b Speak	0
F. A. Sparks, c Pite, b Speak	0
H. S. Edgar, c Freeman, b Welch	19
L. W. Stephenson, not out	2
Extras	12
Total	221

Civil Service.

N. Lowden, run out	2
P. N. Welch, b Orr	18
W. Speak, l b w, b Orr	19
F. C. Belson, c Edgar, b Orr	1
E. D. Freeman, b Sparks	6
T. Howland, b Sparks	8
N. F. Pite, b Sparks	4
C. W. Booth, b Sparks	6
J. C. Lowe, c Ackroyd, b Orr	22
C. E. Tildesley, c Edgar, b Orr	2
T. R. Mountain, not out	2
Extras	8
Total	97

Bowling Analysis.

Albions—	O.	W.	R.
Welch	9	1	48
Freeman	10	2	46
Lowe	2	0	15
Tildesley	3	0	34
Speak	13	7	52
Pite	7	0	66
Civil Service—	O.	W.	R.
Sparks	12	4	32
Orr	12	5	47

H. R. Vaughan had a score of 59 in the Victoria match against the Civil Service, Wyles, Lawrence and Mitchell, also getting into double figures. Rodgers 57 not out, was the feature of the Civics' stand.

Askey's bowling was the outstanding feature of the Garrison victory over the Five C's. He took ten wickets for 58 runs, also hitting for a very useful 21. Montgomery's 44 topped the batsmen, Lea getting 18 and 18, in his two trips to the wicket.

Navy cricketers defeated the Albion B team in an exhibition match, 163 to 132. Both teams batted and fielded well.

Cowichan cricketers defeated the Fifth Regiment eleven at Duncan on Saturday, the up-island team batting for 159, while the Fifth Regiment could do little against the bowling of Whitbourne and Sunderland. Wells, with 66, was top scorer.

E. W. Ismay, the well known Albion club cricketer, has joined the paymaster's department of the 67th Battalion, "Western Scots."

MAINLAND CRICKET LEAGUE STANDING

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Vancouver	7	3	3	17
Burrards	7	3	2	16
Public Schools	7	4	1	15
Brockton Point	4	7	2	10
Lynn Valley	3	7	2	8
Point Grey	3	7	2	8

Games Next Saturday.

Lynn Valley vs. Public Schools, at Lynn Valley.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Vancouver, 7; Tacoma, 4.
Seattle, 9; Spokane, 2.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Spokane	71	47	.602
Tacoma	63	56	.529
Seattle	63	58	.521
Vancouver	58	58	.500

EASTERN LACROSSE.

Montreal, Aug. 16.—There is practically a three-cornered tie in the National Lacrosse union now, as Cornwall came back Saturday afternoon and defeated the Shamrocks in a sensational game by a score of 11 to 10, practically putting themselves on a level with Montreal and Nationals at the head of the league.

Toronto, Aug. 16.—Tecumsehs defeated Rosedale in the Toronto Lacrosse league Saturday afternoon by a score of 13 to 5.

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Enjoying a big week in Spokane, Ted Kaylor, the former Leaf, is now topping the Northwestern league averages, with a mark of .340, exactly the same that Ken. Williams had before he left for Cincinnati. Pat Callahan, the Spokane port-sider, is showing the way to the Northwestern league flingers, the latest averages being as follows:

Team Records.

Batting—	AB.	Runs.	Hits.	Ave.	SB.
Spokane	3,809	550	1,069	.278	191
Victoria	3,472	484	960	.277	120
Tacoma	3,834	549	1,005	.262	109
Vancouver	3,732	465	975	.261	115
Seattle	3,700	483	960	.259	184
Aberdeen	3,487	394	841	.241	111
Fielding—	Outs.	Asts.	E.	Ave.	DP.
Victoria	2,676	1,396	170	.958	61
Spokane	3,164	1,432	216	.955	111
Seattle	2,904	1,442	216	.952	72
Aberdeen	2,776	1,452	213	.951	59
Tacoma	3,052	1,483	229	.950	89
Vancouver	2,930	1,514	233	.949	81

Individual Batting.

	AB.	R.	H.	Av.
Hunt, Vancouver	37	2	16	.432
Kercher, Aberdeen	10	4	4	.400
Reuther, Vancouver	71	10	25	.352
C. Lewis, Aberdeen	52	6	18	.346
Kaylor, Spokane	423	73	144	.340
K. Williams, Spokane	309	54	105	.340
J. Smith, Seattle	421	72	142	.337
Guigni, Seattle	175	21	59	.337
Haworth, Victoria	233	25	78	.335
McKenry, Victoria	71	8	22	.310
W. Butler, Victoria	408	57	126	.309
H. Murphy, Spokane	391	50	120	.307
Kippert, Aber.-Spo.	379	59	116	.306
Bennett, Aberdeen	349	37	106	.304
Brooks, Seattle	138	21	42	.304
Brottem, Vancouver	302	38	90	.298
Neighbors, Spokane	380	61	113	.297
G. L. Kelly, Victoria	361	57	107	.297
Brinker, Vancouver	439	61	129	.294
Doty, Vancouver	17	2	5	.294
Frisk, Vancouver	259	43	76	.293
Johnson, Tacoma	445	81	130	.292
Brenegan, Spokane	338	40	98	.290
J. Butler, Tacoma	362	74	105	.290
Fisk, Spokane	76	7	22	.289
Sheely, Spokane	404	62	107	.289
Stevens, Tacoma	364	51	106	.289
Wilson, Tacoma	444	65	128	.288
Roy Brown, Vancouver	177	18	51	.288
Grover, Tacoma	390	61	112	.287
Bowcock, Seattle	87	8	25	.287
Gislason, Vancouver	208	17	59	.284
Coleman, Vancouver	191	32	54	.283
Lavine, Aberdeen	46	6	13	.283
Boeckel, Tacoma	46	6	13	.283
Stokke, Tacoma	421	63	119	.282
Shaw, Seattle	355	63	100	.282
Pappa, Vancouver	224	38	63	.281
Barth, Seattle	433	65	122	.280
Callahan, Spokane	123	11	34	.275
Wotell, Vancouver	204	38	56	.275
Menges, Victoria	180	21	49	.272
M. Nye, Tacoma	297	39	80	.270
Eastley, Seattle	85	8	25	.270
Altman, Spokane	282	46	76	.269
Tobin, Victoria	373	49	100	.268
R. Murphy, Vancouver	315	42	84	.267
McCarl, Vancouver	435	54	116	.267
Hanson, Tacoma	199	25	53	.266
Moore, Vancouver	207	29	57	.266
J. Lewis, Spokane	434	70	114	.263

Pitching Records.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Keefe, Spokane	2	0	1.000
Killeen, Aberdeen	1	0	1.000
H. Smith, Victoria	1	0	1.000
Callahan, Spokane	12	5	.706
Colwell, Vancouver	18	9	.667
Noyes, Spokane	17	9	.654
Eastley, Seattle	15	8	.652
Kaufman, Tacoma	18	11	.621
Mails, Seattle	22	14	.611
Wicker, Spokane	12	8	.600
Salveson, Spokane	6	4	.600
Reuther, Vancouver	6	4	.600
Peterson, Tacoma	13	9	.591
McGinnity, Tacoma	14	10	.583
Bonner, Seattle	15	12	.556
McKenry, Victoria	12	9	.571
Barham, Vancouver	4	3	.571
Kremer, Vancouver	7	5	.583
Rose, Seattle	12	10	.545
Fisk, Spokane	10	9	.526
Hughes, Aberdeen-Van.	14	13	.519
Engle, Aberdeen	10	10	.500
Arlett, Vancouver	6	6	.500
Leonard, Victoria	3	3	.500
Peet, Tacoma	8	9	.471
Kelly, Spokane-Van.	11	12	.478
McIvor, Seattle	4	5	.444
Meikle, Aberdeen-Tac.	11	15	.423
Hunt, Vancouver	4	6	.400
Hanson, Victoria	8	12	.400
Clark, Aber.-Van.-Spo.	6	13	.368
Harkness, Aberdeen	8	14	.363
W. Smith, Vancouver	7	12	.369
Frambach, Tacoma	2	4	.333
Clark, Aberdeen	6	13	.316
Leifer, Spokane	1	4	.200
D. Williams, Victoria	1	5	.167
Brand, Vancouver	1	5	.167
Boice, Victoria	1	6	.143

OFFICERS' ENTERTAINED.

Lieut. A. Crease, of the 88th regiment, entertained quite a few of the officers of the regiment at the Royal Victoria Yacht club on Saturday. The contestants in the race were Lieutenants Hemmel and Captain Drake, who won the race, with Lieutenants Cunningham and Bridgman, second, and Lieutenants Harvey and Hart, third. The prizes were presented by Mrs. Rous Cuffin. The band of the 88th regiment was present.

ROSS WINS MARATHON.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 16.—Norman Ross won the second annual Marathon swimming race, under the auspices of the Multnomah club, here Saturday, from nearly 100 other other contestants. The race was down the Willamette river for a distance of a little over three miles. The time was 1 hour 22½ minutes. Ross won third place in the Amateur Athletic Union quarter-mile race recently held at the Panama-Pacific exposition.

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MOTORCYCLES—Harley Davidson, new, $280; Hudson, new, $250; Merkel, $250; Hudson, $200; new and second-hand bicycles; supplies and repairs. Marconi Motor Co., 3645 Douglas street. Phone 878. a15

MOTORCYCLES—Harley Davidson, new, $280; Hudson, new, $250; Merkel, $250; Hudson, $200; Harley Davidson, $75; new and second-hand bicycles; supplies and repairs. Marconi Motor Co., 3645 Douglas street. Phone 878.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

WANTED—By careful tenants, four or five-room, modern bungalow or cottage, with good garden; must be low rental. Box 9088, Times. a17

WANTED—To rent, cottage with land and building suitable for 500 head poultry. Apply Box 767, Times. a16

HOUSE of about 5 rooms wanted near car line, moderate rent. Write Room 10, Imperial Bank Chambers. a13

WANTED—Houses to rent; strict attention given. The Griffith Company, Hibben-Bone Building.

DANCING.

GOODMAN'S DANCE every Saturday and Monday in St. John's Hall, Mann's orchestra. a18

FOR SALE—ARTICLES.

FOR SALE—Malleable and steel ranges, $1 down, $1 per week. 2001 Government street.

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS' perfect time table for exposures; easily understood; 25c. each. P. O. Box 829, or 24 Winch Building, city. jy27 tf

CABIN CRUISER for sale, 40x9.6, burns distillate, makes good fishing boat. Phone 1285R. a18

CURIOS AND ENGLISH FURNITURE—Desks, office fittings, cash register, Toledo scales, and household requisites generally. Murdoch's Pandora Mart. Phone 5399.

FOR SALE—Cheap, 30x8 cruising and freight launch Pandora, now in James Bay. Apply to owner on board or to D. Strank. a17

MACHINERY FOR SALE—Small lathe with tools, small hand saw, scroll shear, table saw, mandrels, etc. Apply Wales, Ltd., 645 Fort street. a20

FOR SALE—Rifle, Winchester, 22 cal., $8.50; Browning automatic, 32 cal., $8.50; shotgun, 12-gauge, $10; Winchester pump guns, $8.50; plate camera, 3x4¼, $7.50; large plush album, $2.50; marine telescope, $3.50; large Hohner accordion, $7.50; solid leather mandolin case and cushion, $2.75; John B. Stetson soft hats, $1.50; canvas summer hats, 25c.; gun metal wrist watches, regular $9; only $4.50, warranted 3 years; large music box, plays ten tunes, $7.50; Gillette safety razors, $2.75; Wade & Butcher razors, 45c.; playing cards, 10c.; magazines, 2 for 5c., or 25c. a dozen. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

EXCELLENT Empress ball bearing 18-inch lawn mower, steel grass catcher, $4.50; a 12-inch machine, high wheels, 4 blades, $2.50. 560 Rithet street. a17

FOR SALE—19-foot launch, with 3 h. p. Regal engine, in first-class condition, cheap for cash. Causeway Boat House, Phone 5445. s15

SUTTON, the bicycle repair man, is still leading the way for second-hand bicycles. 746 Yates street. s17

FOR $28.00 we can reach 1,000 of Victoria's best homes with a personal letter. Price includes postage, printed letterhead, envelopes, folding, enclosing, addressing, etc. Newton Adv. Agency, Winch Bldg., city. jy27 tf

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LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE WANTED—Splendid income assured right man to act as our representative after learning our business thoroughly by mail. Former experience unnecessary. All we require is honesty, ability, ambition and willingness to learn a lucrative business. No soliciting or traveling. All or spare time only. This is an exceptional opportunity for a man in your section to get into a big paying business without capital and become independent for life. Write at once for full particulars. National Co-operative Realty Company, L1289 Marden Building, Washington, D. C.

WIRELESS OPERATORS WANTED—We can place numerous certificated operators in lucrative positions at once. Most up-to-date Marconi apparatus in the world installed. We train you for government examinations held on our apparatus. Call for prospectus. Columbian Wireless College, 731½ Fort.

WANTED—500 men to buy our 5 cent smoking and chewing tobacco, 30 varieties, free matches and papers. Odell & Graham, 592 Johnson street, just below Government street.

EMPLOYERS OF HELP who may now or in the immediate future require skilled or unskilled labor, either male or female, should send in their names at once to the Central Employment and Relief Bureau.

MISCELLANEOUS.

C. P. COX, piano tuner, graduate School for the Blind, Halifax, N. S., 159 South Turner street. Phone L1212. s10

JITNEY CARS—People wishing to hire jitney cars by the hour or for short trips should telephone Jitney Association Garage, number 2081. s7

CITY IMPERIAL MILITARY AND ORCHESTRAL BANDS at liberty for engagements, any number supplied. Terms, J. G. Hunt, 1424 Woodlands. Phone 1310R. s7

SECOND-HAND BOOKS and disc records bought, sold and exchanged. Beta Book Store, 852 Yates, near Quadra. s5

FORD OWNERS—Special, carbon removed, valves resealed, electrical and carburetor adjustments, guaranteed, $5.75. Arthur H. Dandridge, Oak Bay avenue. Phone 4348. s5

WANTED—The address of the Henry George Association. Reply to Box T, Times. a5

A REDUCTION IN PRICES—Low rates on circular letters or post cards that cannot be detected from typewriting. Our prices include postage, printed letterheads or post cards and envelopes, typing letter, folding and enclosing, stamping, addressing and supplying names. We can reach every home worth reaching. Note.—We refund postage on all returns through parties having moved. Newton Advertising Agency, Winch Bldg., Victoria, B. C. Phone 1915. jy27 tf

LAWN MOWERS collected, cleaned, ground, adjusted, delivered, $1.00. Dandridge. Phone 1039L2 or 4348.

AUTOMOBILE ELECTRICIANS—Storage batteries re-charged and repaired, self-starting system and high tension magnetos repaired, platinum points fitted on H. T. mags. and spark coils; accessories, dry cells, electric auto lights. Jameson & Rolfe, corner Courtney and Gordon streets, next to Union Club. Phone 2246. a25

CIRCULARS and dodgers done quickly, delivered or addressed and mailed. Newton Advertising Agency, Winch Bldg. jy27 tf

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Waterfront lot, Fowl Bay or Oak Bay districts. Box 808, Times. a17

WANTED—To purchase, gasoline engines. Apply Box 800, Times. a17

WANTED—Cabin launch, 25 to 30 feet long. State price and particulars to Box 9146, Times. a17

WANTED—A heavy duty, 12 h. p., marine engine, complete and good condition; cash. Phone 4253L. a21

WANTED—Indian motorcycle, twin, will pay $125 cash. Box 783, Times. a17

WANTED—Henderson Directory, 1915 issue. 420 Hibben-Bone Bldg., Victoria. Phone 2[illegible] a17

WANTED—Double set of harness, suitable for farm work; must be cheap and in good order. Apply 1014 Bay St. a16

WANTED—Good hunting dog, spaniel, pointer or setter, must be good finder and retriever. Apply Percy Plimley, Plimley's Garage, Johnson street, Victoria, B. C. a17

WANTED—Good, sound, young horse, suitable for light work on the land and for driving, in exchange for Underwood No. 5 typewriter, in perfect order, which cost $125. Box 669, Times. a20

CASH PAID for slightly worn ladies' and gents' clothing, shoes and old gold. M. Stern, 600 Yates St. Phone 4810.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT.

TO RENT—Well furnished front apartment, freshly done up, $15 per month, including light and heat. 1176 Yates street. a15

TO RENT—Four roomed flat, up-to-date conveniences. 462 Dallas road. a20

A BEAUTIFULLY CLEAN, furnished suite, $15. Normandie Apartments. Phone 1789L. a20

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APARTMENTS TO RENT, two blocks from City Hall. Apply 1721 Quadra street. s13

FURNISHED APARTMENTS, bath, piano, electric light, $13 up. Phone 5483. a30

MORRISON MANSIONS, Fairfield, corner Hilda and Chester, furnished or unfurnished suite. Phone 4988R. a8

APARTMENTS, furnished and unfurnished, Southgate street. Apply Victoria Plumbing Co. Phones 3402 and 1450L. a19

COMFORTABLE, clean, furnished flat, 3 rooms, bath, pantry, private entrances, $14. Phone 1208. a16

MELLOR APARTMENTS, 821 Broughton street, adjoining Royal Victoria Theatre. To let, modern apartments (unfurnished), hot water and hot water heating. Apply Mellor Bros., Ltd., 819 Broughton street. j9 tf

TO LET—Modern apartments, McDonald Block, free telephone. Phone 731L. m3tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Unfurnished)

FOR RENT—HOUSES AND APARTMENTS, furnished and unfurnished, in all parts of the city. Lloyd-Young & Russell, 1012 Broad street, ground floor, Pemberton Building. Phone 4532.

FOR RENT—Seven-room, modern, close to car, rent $15. Inquire 1316 Stanley avenue, mornings and evenings. a16

SEVERAL new houses to rent at low rates. The Griffith Company, Hibben-Bone Building.

GOOD HOUSE, 7 rooms, corner Lyall and Joffree streets, Esquimalt; rent $15 per month. Phone 286. E. W. Whittington Lumber Co., Ltd., owners. a16

TO LET—1338 Gladstone avenue, eleven roomed house, newly renovated and in first-class condition, with ½ acre of garden land and orchard, and chestnut and ornamental trees. a20

$14 MONTH—Six rooms, bungalow, Fairfield, modern. Phone 2574L. a16

NEW, three roomed bungalow to let, on the beach, Fowl Bay. Apply 1847 Crescent road. a17

FOR RENT—Cottage, 5 rooms, modern conveniences, together with good stable and barn, situate on nearly half acre of land; rent very reasonable. L. U. Conyers & Co., 650 View street. a16

A SEASIDE COTTAGE—To rent, on lease or for the summer, at a small rent, a nice, 4 roomed cottage, Roberts Bay, near Sidney, boat house, water laid on. Apply Robert Grubb, 206 Central Bldg. a29

TO RENT—Four roomed dwelling, $8 per month, 754 Humboldt street, close to town. Apply Richard Hall, 1232 Government street. all tf

HOUSES TO RENT—4 rooms, close water, Monterey Ave., $5; 7 rooms, close High school, $15; 9 rooms, close High school, $25; 6 rooms, Superior St., $9; 6 rooms, May St., $12; 6 rooms, Rose St., $12; 5 rooms, 312 Mary St., $10; 5 rooms, just completed, Maple St., $17.50. H. T. Knott, corner Monterey and Beach Drive. a11

FAIRFIELD—Eight rooms, cement basement, furnace, every convenience; low rent. Phone 4422. a16

TO LET—7 roomed house, 314 Oswego, 1228 Montrose Ave. Phone 3236L. a17

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Furnished)

FOR RENT—Modern, 4 roomed, furnished cottage. Apply 1329 Denman street. a17

TO LET—Furnished cabin, nice location. Box 898, Times. a17

FOR RENT—Comfortably furnished, 5-room bungalow, with well-kept garden. Apply 341 Vancouver street, mornings or evenings, or Phone 136R1. a21

FOUR-ROOM, furnished bungalow, modern, Fairfield, close in. Portland Hotel, Yates street. a17

FOUR ROOMED COTTAGE, furnished or unfurnished; bachelors or small family. 664 Garbally road. a17

TO RENT—A well furnished, 6 roomed house, with gas and phone; references. Apply to 1001 Richardson street. a21

FURNISHED CABINS TO LET, at Esquimalt. Apply Barber Shop, at Pool Room. a18

FOR RENT—Furnished cabin, all conveniences. 1036 Hillside avenue.

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

DENTIST—Good business location, rent cheap. Call or write 1036 Hillside Ave.

SEVERAL HOUSES, furnished and unfurnished, low rents. Apply Murdoch's Pandora Mart, where car No. 3 stops. Phone 5399. a15

ONE AND TWO-ROOM OFFICES to let in Times Building. Apply at Times Office.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.

CLEAN, furnished, housekeeping rooms, cabins, $4 month up. 1096 Hillside. s15

TWO LARGE, front, housekeeping rooms, furnished. 1903 Quadra street. a19

ROOMS AND BOARD.

BOARD AND ROOM for students attending Normal school, 2 minutes from central entrance; lunch served to students living at a distance. Boorman, Forrester street, Richmond avenue, on Mt. Tolmie car line. a17

TO RENT—Good room and board, private family, gentleman or lady teacher, ten minutes' walk Moss street school. Phone 2204L. a16

COMFORTABLE PRIVATE HOME at moderate rates for students or others, piano and tennis. Phone 2039L. 2132 Belmont avenue. a19

CRAIGMYLE, 1037 Craigdarroch road. First-class boarding house; gentlemen only. Phone 2318R. s11

GOOD BOARD AND ROOM, $6 per week; also housekeeping room. 942 Pandora. s11

ROOM AND BOARD for respectable couple, no children, scrupulously clean, with all home comforts. Phone 5081L. s7

COMFORTABLE ROOM AND BOARD, reasonable, close in, 615 Vancouver St. Phone 3820X. s7

TOURISTS, stop at "The Grove," 966 Bank street. A restful spot almost in the heart of the city. Terms reasonable and best home cooking. No children under 7 years. One block south of Oak Bay avenue car line. Phone 2458R. By day or week. a20

BON ACCORD, 845 Princess Ave. Room and board, $7 per week; rooms from $1.50; close to High school; seven minutes' walk from City Hall. Phone 2837L. a29

NICELY FURNISHED BEDROOM and full board, in private family, home comforts, centrally located. Phone 3076L.

"LORAINE," 828 Courtney street. Room and board, $7 per week; table board, $5 per week. Mrs. A. McDowell. a19 tf

ROOMS—With or without board, terms low. 2516 Government. Phone 3892L.

DRESSMAKING.

MISS CROWTHER, 1315 Blanshard. Moderate prices and good work my specialty. s11

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK.

FOR SALE—General purpose horse, 1,200 lbs.; true, single or double, $40. 1216 Princess Ave. Phone 4426L. a16

FURNISHED ROOMS.

TO LET—Single room for gentleman, also housekeeping suite; every convenience. 432 Government street. Phone 5274Y. a16

THE GEARY ROOMS, 819 Fort street. Hot and cold water; and moderate terms. s2

FIRST-CLASS ROOMS to let, Savoy Rooming House, 749½ Fort St. Phone 3434. Hot and cold water. From 50c. and up. a22

BRUNSWICK HOTEL—50c. night and up, $2 weekly and up; best location, first-class, no bar; few housekeeping rooms. Yates and Douglas.

HELP WANTED—(Female)

DOMESTIC SCIENCE TEACHER wanted in Victoria Public Schools. Apply at once by letter to the Secretary, P. O. Box 52, Victoria, B. C. a16

BARRISTER requires English family in Victoria to take sister and nephew (aged 7) as paying guests for winter. Fuller particulars on application. Apply with terms to Box 643, Times. s7

IF YOU HAVE WORK for a few hours, days or weeks, won't you send in your name to the Central Employment and Relief Bureau and let us send you the man or woman to do that work?

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Brass auto horn, on Gorge run, Thursday. Finder please return to Two Jacks. a17

LOST—July 30 or 31, probably between Yates street and Washington avenue, a gold bracelet, signs of the Zodiac carved on it. Anyone returning same to Box 789, Times Office, will get $10 reward. a20

LOST—White Pomeranian dog, hair cut short on back. Finder will please return to 612 Toronto street and receive reward. a16

REMOVAL NOTICE.

THE VICTORIA FEED CO. will remove from 601 Esquimalt road to 1902 Government street, on or about August 1. Phone 2908. a22

SITUATIONS WANTED—(Female)

THE CENTRAL EMPLOYMENT AND RELIEF BUREAU is prepared to fill any vacancy for male or female, in skilled or unskilled labor, at once. Phone or write.

FOR SALE—LOTS.

FINE BUILDING LOT on Cowichan street, $600, half cash; genuine snap. Apply Box 447, city. a18

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FAIRFIELD—Eight rooms, full cement basement, furnace, thoroughly modern; no cash or interest required; $35 monthly payments. Phone 4422. a16

FOR SALE—ACREAGE.

QUARTER ACRE, Carey road, Marigold station, to let or for sale. 422 Menzies street. a17

BEAUTIFUL 57-ACRE FARM, 30 acres cultivated, 2 barns, house and caretaker's house, some stock and equipment, use of 700-acre stock run adjoining, on waterfront, overlooking Ganges Harbor; a money-maker and the correct site for a palatial home; price on terms, $16,000. Bond, 204 Pemberton Bldg. a16

ACREAGE—Client will sell 57 acres, with 1,400 ft. waterfrontage, at Sooke. There are 17 acres cleared, 15 acres alder bottom, balance timbered, new 5-room bungalow, good water supply; price $75 per acre, on easy terms. Heisterman, Forman & Co., 1210 Broad street.

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Listings of small, unfurnished houses in James Bay and Fairfield at nominal rentals. We have clients waiting.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria at their next regular sitting for a transfer of the liquor license now held by me in respect of the St. Francis Hotel, situate at the corner of Yates street and Oriental alley, in the City of Victoria, to Harry Brown, of the said City of Victoria.

Dated the 19th day of July, 1915.

G. M. STANLEY,
Applicant.

NOTICE TO UNEMPLOYED IN SAANICH.

Saanich residents willing to work at harvesting in the Northwest are requested to communicate in writing, giving full name and address, to the undersigned.

HECTOR S. COWPER,
Clerk, Municipal Hall,
Royal Oak, B. C.

A gunner of the Garrison Artillery, who had successfully passed an armorer's course, was at home on furlough, wearing the usual decoration of the hammer and pinchers on his right sleeve, when he was accosted by a civilian, who asked what the decoration signified. "Oh," replied Tommy humorously, "I am a qualified army dentist." "I see," said the civilian. "Of course the pincers are for extracting the teeth; but what is the idea of a hammer?" "Well, you see," rejoined the soldier, "some of the chaps are a bit nervous, and are afraid to take chloroform, so we have to resort to the hammer."

"Well, George," said William, as they met in the street, "how is Arthur going on now?" "Oh, much better," replied George. "He has been in the country for seven days to regain his strength." "That's funny! I should have thought seven days in the country would have made one week!"

We hear that one result of possible further raids by Zeppelins is a boom in the fancy pyjama trade in London. Meanwhile, as we expected, anti-poison masks of a less terrifying pattern are making their appearance, and we hear of one which has real fur eyebrows, and another with a bewitching smile cleverly painted on it."—Punch.

H. B. "Imperial" Lager Beer, pints, 3 for 25c.

End the War by Hastening Munitions

(From the Boston Transcript.)

Sir George Paish, editor of the London Statist, governor of the Londo School of Economics and an excellen analyst of finance, sets forth impor ant things in a prepared statement o war expenses and the abilities of nations to pay. It appeared in the Ne York World, and coming at the tim of the statement of the secretary o the Imperial German treasury and financial report from Russia, one get a freshened perspective of the compar ative lasting qualities of the differen belligerents. Germany and Austri closed off from trade, are—as farmer say of horses which are not working—"eating their heads off" through th prodigious expenditures of stored wealth, while Britain in one year o war has merely consumed the annu income of her wealth, and through savings to be made will weather the coming year at a net war expenditure o one billion dollars instead of two bi lions, as in the last twelve months that is, organized on a new economic basis she will spend but half her an nual income, and no capital, even afte making loans to her allies. Moreove "the great war outlays are increasin the incomes of nearly every individu in Britain.

Sir George does a service to M Bryan and those pacifists and pro-Ge mans who have argued so tirelessl that the best way to shorten the wa is for Americans to stop selling mun tions to the allies. Sir George demor strates that an embargo on war sup plies from this country would simpl prolong the struggle for an indefinitel long time—while to furnish quickly a munitions possible will hasten it to finish. It is this way: The war divid itself into three periods. First, th period for drilling, training, equippin the forces of the quintuple alliance u til their numbers and equipment ar equal to the forces and equipment o Germany, Austria and Turkey. Secon the period when both forces are o terms of equality in numbers an equipment and equally capable of at tack and defence. Third, the perio when the armies of Britain, Franc Italy, Russia, Serbia, Roumania be come "greatly superior in numbers an equipment to the armies of the enemies." When this last period be gins it is possible that Teuton an Turk may see that further sacrific would be worse than useless, and yield for a peace. Present sentiment i Germany, overfed with undue optin ism, is for "fighting to the last." Tim to prepare soldiers and munitions is a the allies want—they have the mone Time nibbles away the opposing force who have put about all the availabl in the field, and daily their resource of money, men, munitions and food ar being worn away, with scarcely an thing coming from beyond the block ade.

Germany has had to help Austr and Turkey with loans; she has litt or no accumulated wealth which sh can turn into cash (much of her fo eign investments being in Austria an Turkey), and "consequently must kee her aggregate expenditures down to he own reduced powers of production within the much smaller income she able to make with a large part of he male population engaged in war an with her foreign trade almost con pletely cut off." On the other han Britain, France and Italy are doin business with the world, and Japan held in reserve. Britain has not y felt the pinch of war; wages are high er, there is no unemployment, and sh has $20,000,000,000 of capital invest abroad, one-quarter of which can b if necessary turned into cash durin the war. New ships have been launche to the total of over a billion tons. happens then, that after a year of wa Britain is "just as wealthy as she wa before," and that she has met the ex pense of war "wholly out of the mon she otherwise would have saved, out o extra savings, and out of increased in come." She is $2,000,000,000 less well o than she would have been, but n poorer than when war broke out la August. Germany's treasurer declar that the very fact that German foreig trade is practically cut off helps he "We produce practically everythin needed; expenditures for war resolv themselves into savings." This, it remarked in criticism, is as much as t say you can lift yourself by your ow bootstraps.

In brief, the allies' costs in the twelv months have been $15,500,000,000, as th National City bank reckons it, but the wealth is above $280,000,000,000, and as th economist Sir George shows, Britai with loans sufficient for her allies, scarcely spending her income. Town and provinces here and there may fa to German arms, submarines may continue to pick up 2 per cent. of Britis shipping, but they are drops compare with the cloudburst that is preparin when the final period shall hav been reached and the allies have armie in the field greatly superior in number greatly superior in equipment, and a the world to draw upon for supplie The commanding fact brought out b Sir George's analysis, to our mind, that the sooner America and othe countries manufacture the munition needed by the allies the sooner the inevitable peace will come to pass. Thos who want to see the war end should, they are sincere, be booming munition making instead of speechifying an causing strikes against it.

"You're a liar!" drawled the litt man. "What!" roared the big ma clenching a huge fist, "Do you da to call me that, you poor, puny, pit ful little puppy?" "I do!" came bac the defiant reply. "If you speak a other word, you great lump of podg pork, I'll soon cut you short!" "Cu me short, you cheese-mite!" shoute the enraged giant. "Yes, and her goes," snapped the thin-armed dwar sharply; and, quick as lightning, be fore the burly one could utter a word he rang off and hung up the receiver

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"NO ONE THINKS OF POLITICS NOW."—Good news from the Colonist. The best place for ardent politicians this hot weather is Murdoch's Pandora Mart, where it is always cool and restful.

FOR RENT—That modern, 5 roomed cottage, 1053 Hulton, all conveniences, $13, immediately. 5172L. a18

OFFICE POSITION wanted by lady immediately, in or out of city; experienced, capable and reliable. P. O. Box 1057. a16

WOOD AT OUR PRICES is cheaper than coal. Dry fir cordwood (not beach wood), 12-inch blocks, $5.35 delivered in city limits; carrying in, 35 cents. Lloyd-Young & Russell, 1012 Broad street. Phone 4632.

LOST—Saturday, topaz pin, keepsake. Return to 1011 Government street. Reward. a16

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT. Apply between 6 and 7.30 p. m., 1040 Craigdarroch road. a18

GROCERY HAND wanted. Apply 2252 Oak Bay avenue. a16

ARE YOU MOVING? Phone Hocking, plumber, James Bay, 345 St. James street, Phone 3771L, and have your range connected up prompt. Plumbing repairs of all kinds.

FOR SALE—Cheap, cash register. 575 Johnson. Phone 2435. a18

ROOM AND BOARD to young lady, use of parlor and piano, near High school, $5 per week. Apply Suite 2, 1303 Gladstone avenue. a18

FOR RENT—Garage, light and water. Apply 1156 Fisguard, or Phone R4562. a18

WANTED—Man to dig post holes. City Yards, Garbally road. a18

FOR SALE—Four large sized orchard lots, facing on two roads; price $1,400, terms. Apply 941 Esquimalt road. a17

LOST—Heavy studded dog collar, engraved "Joe," 48th Batt., No. 4 Company. Reward offered. Return to Mr. F. B. Pemberton, Fowl Bay road. a21

OPPORTUNITY—Forced to sacrifice my home; have paid in $1,900 cash; have title subject to mortgage; will anyone make offer? Urgent. Tel. 5172L. a18

FURNISHED, 4 roomed cottage. Apply 1327 Denman street, cor. Sayward. a21

FIVE ROOMED BUNGALOW, 3 minutes from High school. Apply 1327 Denman street. a21

FIRST-CLASS ROOM AND BOARD for one or two gentlemen, in good private house, Oak Bay; references required. Box 819, Times. a21

FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW, bath, concrete basement, one block from car line, $19 per month; also 3 rooms, bathroom and large store, large lots, $19 per month. Apply 502 Sayward Block. Phone 975. a18

NEW, 7 h. p., 4-cylinder, "Henderson" motorcycle, only run 50 miles, excellent condition, equipped with electric light and horn; owner, anxious to sell, will take $260 cash. Box 826, Times. a18

AUTOMOBILES FOR RENT—High-class machines, with experienced, careful, mechanical drivers. Thos. Plimley, 735 Johnson street. Phone 697. a16

SPARK PLUGS, SPARK PLUGS, SPARK PLUGS—We have a large supply of Maxim & Maxim X plugs at 75c and 50c. This Maxim "Made in Canada" plug is of the highest quality and will give excellent service. Thos. Plimley, 735 Johnson street. a16

LOW RENTS FOR GOOD TENANTS—La Fayette street, near Shoal Bay beach and golf links, 8 roomed, new house, modern, nice garden; Vining street, near new High school, close to street cars, 6 rooms, modern, large garden; Pembroke street, near Jubilee hospital and Fort street car, 7 rooms, modern, new house, furnace; North Park street, near Cook, small store, plate glass front, very low rent. Apply W. T. Williams, 510 Belmont House. s16

CADILLAC 5-passenger automobile, runs like a new car, body was re-varnished last year, and whole machinery has just been overhauled and is in splendid shape throughout; price only $600, terms arranged. Box 9213, Times. a16

FOR SALE—Malleable steel range, 6-hole, with hot water connections, good as new. 29 Bushby street. Phone 862. a18

WANTED—16 or 18 ft. power launch, cheap for cash. Box 829, Times. a18

IF THE LADY who received mesh purse from Gorge car conductor at 1.22 p. m. Sunday does not return same to the Times by noon Thursday she will be prosecuted. a18

FOUND—Umbrella, in Fairfield Jitney. Phone 2648L. a16

JAMES BAY DISTRICT

RINES' GROCERY—Preserving fruits arriving daily. Elberta freestones this week. Phone 3579. a26

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LOCAL NEWS

Oak Bay Council Meets.—The Oak Bay council will meet to-night to attend to considerable routine business.

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W. C. T. U. Meeting.—A meeting of the south end branch of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Davison, 146 Moss street, on Wednesday, August 18, at 3 o'clock.

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Orangemen Meet.—Sir Edward Carson, L. O. L., 2394 will meet in the Orange hall, Yates street on Tuesday at 8 p. m. All members are asked to attend.

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Esquimalt Council.—There will be the regular meeting this evening of the Esquimalt council, at which the members will transact the usual routine business. John R. Saunders, elected reeve on Saturday by a large majority, will preside.

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Interesting Lecture.—What promises to be a most interesting and instructive lecture is that to be given tonight by F. S. Shepard, who will speak in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium at 8.30 on "Y. M. C. A. Work Among Canadian Soldiers at Home and Abroad." Admission to the lecture is free.

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Friendly Help Needs.—The Friendly Help association is appealing earnestly for clothes and shoes for children. School will open now in a week's time, and there are many boys and girls who have not the necessary clothing. Gifts of underwear, suits, boots, stockings, etc., will be very gratefully received.

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Young Patriots' League.—The Cowichan League of Young Patriots will give an outdoor fete in aid of the Red Cross society and other patriotic charities on Labor day, September 6, 1915, at Glen Stewart, Cowichan station, from 1 to 7 p. m. The programme will consist of a fairy cantata, living draughts competition, display by the Cowichan Girl Guides, Japanese tea house and iris garden, children's sports and other side-shows, market-stall, soft drinks, candies, ice cream, refreshments, etc., etc. The admission will be ten cents.

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Girl Guides.—The following is the schedule for the Canadian Girl Guides for the week: No. 1 company (Burnside, Hillside, Gorge districts) drill on Thursday evening, 7 o'clock, at St. John's schoolroom, corner of Mason and Quadra. Capt. H. Leighton. No. 2 company (Fernwood and Springridge districts) drill on Tuesday evening at St. John's schoolroom at 7 p. m. Captain G. King. No. 3 company (Fairfield district) drill at 622 Cook street, Wednesday, 2.30 p. m., Captain P. Irving. No. 4 company (Oak Bay), drill at the schoolroom on Fowl Bay road at 7 p. m., Tuesday, Captain Roberts. No. 5 company (James Bay) drill at 622 Cook street, Wednesday 2.30 p. m., Captain Myler, 407 Belleville street. Phone 9021L. Girls wishing to join the guides are asked to report at one of the drills of the above companies. The age limit is from 11 to 18 years.

SAANICH TAX SALE.

In order to give other bidders an opportunity to arrive, the Saanich tax sale, which was to have commenced this morning in the Royal Oak hall, was postponed by Assessor R. F. S. Sewell, who is conducting the sale. This afternoon the sale was commenced and a number of Canadian Northern right-of-way lots were offered, but have not been sold, many people holding back for fear of legal complications.

Some persons, whose property was listed to go under the hammer, were paying their taxes this morning in order to save their land. There is a good attendance at the sale.

Personal

Mrs. Walter Laing (nee Miss Violet Croot) will hold her post nuptial reception Wednesday afternoon and evening, August 18, at her home, suite 11, Hampton Court.

BORN

RUTH—On Sunday, August 15, to the wife of H. B. Ruth, at 1156 Pembroke street, a son (William Wallace).

TWO MORE OFFICERS FOR PIONEER CORPS

Lieutenants Stewart and Williams Appointed to New Regiment; Musketry Notes

About sixty recruits have been signed on up to date for the Corps of Pioneers, Lt.-Col. Hodgins commanding. Two more appointments have been made in the staff of this unit, these being Lieutenants Stewart and Lieutenant Williams, both of the Royal Canadian Engineers, and resident in Victoria. These officers reported for duty on Saturday. There are besides this the following other officers: Lt.-Col. A. E. Hodgins, officer in command; Major James A. Macdonnell, second in command; J. G. C. Wood, M.P.P., quartermaster; and W. H. Hayward, M.P.P., paymaster.

The recruiting offices in the Belmont block, opposite the Union club, are the first to open in the province, and have been very busy for the past three days. Recruiting offices will be opened in Vancouver in the course of the next week or so, and indications point to excellent opportunities of selecting rapidly to make up the quota from that city, numbers of men with excellent qualifications only awaiting the opportunity to present their applications.

The following notes on musketry and advice to N. C. O.'s were sent to the Times by Capt. F. Richardson, who is now at Vernon:

"Having reached the point where the men are at gallery practice, it is very essential that N. C. O.'s pay particular attention as to how the scoring and clerical work is done as this is mainly their duty when the big ranges are reached.

"N. C. O.'s should also take notes on the matter of constructing firing mounds and construction of targets and frames (miniature).

"N. C. O.'s should also see that the men who get down to shoot should note the position of every man and correct if wrong.

"A few hints on correct prone position:

"1. Body oblique to line of fire.

"2. Legs separated.

"3. Heels on ground.

"4. Good bed for butt.

"5. Left elbow well under rifle (if spread too much the rifle is not well balanced).

"6. If peep sight used eye reasonably close.

"7. Sights must be upright.

"I have been asked many times if slings should be used. My answer is, as the world's records have been made with the use of it, the writer has been able to demonstrate that on level ground it cannot be beaten either in deliverate or rapid fire, why should it not be used. it is not advisable to use it when kneeling, standing, sitting or when a rest is obtainable. The sling can be adjusted and the firer get into more accurate action than without it. Don't take this to mean it has to be used, it is optional.

"Before closing, I wish to say a word about the back sight.

"On the B. S. (backsight) there is another B. S. (battlesight).

"When the war broke out the sight was in the experimental stage. There was no time to build another, so we must use it as it is. Believe me it is a very good one if cared for, it allows you to get within an inch of the object aimed at and that is the most the finest B. S. can do.

"Get the men to use the peep. See that it is enlarged to a decimal 10 or 12 aperture. If you try to make them use the 'U' or what is commonly known as the V you can never attain the proper results. Why? Well first it is too close to the eye; secondly, it requires the firer to allow too much aiming off the object if the range is under or over 500 yards; thirdly, it causes an optical illusion if used."

MOTORS FROM CALIFORNIA.

Jesse M. Warren Returns Over Pacific Highway and New "Georgian Circuit."

After motoring over the Pacific Highway from San Francisco to Port Angeles, Jesse M. Warren, the local architect, who has been attending the convention of the Rotary club, returned to Victoria on Saturday night, satisfied that the choicest bits of road on the coast are situated on Vancouver island. In Mr. Warren's own words, "the trip on the island cannot be surpassed on the Pacific coast."

Mr. Warren was six days coming north from San Francisco, and was the first Victorian to motor into Port Angeles over the "Georgian Circuit." His speedometer showed that he had traveled exactly 1,140 miles and although the car sped over all kinds of roads, he did not have a single puncture nor the slightest trouble throughout. Mr. Warren says that the roads in California are excellent, but very poor in Oregon, while in Washington they are good.

Mr. Warren has traveled over the Malahat many times, and on his trip through the American states he had his eyes open to see if he could find a more wonderful road, and he returns thoroughly satisfied that Vancouver island possesses the finest roadway on the Pacific coast.

The motorists reached Angeles on Saturday night in time to catch the excursion steamer Princess Adelaide.

VICTORIA VOLUNTEER SQUADRON MOUNTED RIFLES.

Major A. E. Christie, commanding.

Parade will be held at the drill hall on Tuesday, August 17, at 8 p. m. sharp.

Orderly room open at 7.45 for recruits.

By order,

J. R. HOWES,

Lieut. and Adjutant.

DEPUTATION HEARD ON HIGHER EDUCATION

Pupils Must Go to Vancouver Next Term, or Do Without Arts Classes

Following a hearing given a deputation from the Victoria school board on the question of the discontinuance of work at the Victoria college, and the transference of this class of instruction to the British Columbia university at Vancouver, the premier, Sir Richard McBride, this morning said he could not intervene. The matter had been decided by the president of the university and his colleagues, and the government had given all university matters to the university governors to deal with. The premier said, however, that the members of the deputation would still have the right to approach the university governors on the matter.

What the deputation asked for was the continued tuition in Victoria of seventy-five pupils, who, by the new rule, will have to go to Vancouver to take the classes at the university, or do without the higher learning altogether. The deputation said there had been insufficient notice of the change given here, and that the pupils were taken at a big disadvantage. George Jay, as chairman of the board, informed the premier that there was a question of expense just now involved in the attendance of the scholars at Vancouver, and because of this many would have to stop their work. He asked for the deputation that the advanced school work to be done at the university should be done here, as it has been in the past for another year.

The premier informed the deputation that he wanted to avoid above all things a recurrence of jealousy between cities. He told the deputation the university needed the support of all cities and all educational bodies. It had cost a lot of money, and was for free education. He hoped the members of the deputation would help instead of hindering the work, and what he asked above all was that there should be no bickering between Victoria and Vancouver. The premier said, too, that if there was any controversy on the matter, it would be grasped by a certain section of the public, and made a political football of. This would stir up a lot of feeling, which just at this time would do no good.

The premier also said Victoria contained an intelligent community, and that if sectionalism could be avoided it would do a lot of good. The university was to open in the fall. This had been announced months ago, and there would be accommodation there for all who wish to attend. Recently Dr. Wesbrook had visited Victoria, and had discussed the proposal about the Royal Institution of Learning work being taken over by the university. The premier had supported this view, and in regard to the deputation's claim he said it had been always understood that the Royal Institution was to go out of existence when the university began.

The premier said that if Victoria wanted a branch of the university here, other cities would want the same. Dr. Young added that New Westminster had asked the university for extending powers, but this would impair the attendance at the university.

The premier said he really did not know why the deputation came to see him. If the Royal Institute continued this year, he said, it would continue for all time.

Dr. Robinson interjected that Victoria had lost the university, and now it was up to her to treat the matter in a sportsmanlike way, and abide by the decision of the committee which gave Vancouver the building.

The premier said the news that Victoria was seeking to continue the work here might make them think in Vancouver that Victorians were not loyal to the university.

Dr. Robinson said the Royal Institution had virtually gone out of existence, and its assets, amounting to $32,000 had been handed over to the university governors. Mr. Paul answered that $5,000 in cash still was retained. To this, Dr. Robinson replied that this sum was given the university governors with the proviso that it be spent to provide scholarships.

The premier said the deputation was asking the government to use its authority to get the governors of the university to allow the continuance of the higher instruction in Victoria. He did not see how it could be done.

Mr. Jay: "We wish to prevent teachers being turned out in the streets when the term begins. Dr. Wesbrook gave the staff the assurance that they would get one year's notice, and it was only on August 5 that the notice reached them.

The premier said there had been notice of the univeristy opening published in the newspapers a year ago, and Mr. Shortt remarked that the teachers did not expect to get their notice through the newspapers.

Mr Paul said there would be many students throughout the province who would not be able to attend the university on the ground of the expense of going to Vancouver to live. They could be instructed under the present arrangement. The premier replied that this would lead to a half-baked university.

Mr. Jay pointed out that under the change, especially in the present conditions, there would be many in Victoria who would be unable to afford the expense of eight months' board in Vancouver. These would be forced into employment, and that at present, he said, was hard to find. Last term in Victoria there was 47 first year and 23 second year students, and they expected an increased number next term. There had been meetings with university governors, and it had been decided that the present arrangement would continue, and then had come the sudden notice of the changed conditions. Dr. Young had taken the stand that the university governors had been given full authority.

"All we want," said Chairman Jay, "is to be let alone to carry on the work well begun. Our attitude is not one of hostility. The senate of the university is not yet constituted, and in them lies the creative power, and not with the board of governors. We want to wait and see the senate of the university."

The next term opens in October, and it was understood when the deputation withdrew that the matter would again be taken up with the university authorities.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At St. Louis—

First game

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	8	8	0
St. Louis	4	16	3

Batteries—Scott, Faber, Mayer and Schalk; Wellman, McCabe and Leary, O'Brien.

At New York—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	2	10	1
New York	0	1	1

Batteries—Bressler and McAvoy; Caldwell and Nunemaker.

At Boston—	R.	H.	E.
Washington	0	5	0
Boston	1	2	1

Batteries—Gallia and Henry; Wood and Cady.

At Cleveland—

First game	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	6	2	2
Cleveland	2	10	1

Batteries—Coveleskie and Stanage; Walker, Benton and Egan.

Second game	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	3	7	2
Cleveland	1	1	3

Batteries—Boland and Stanage; Hagerman, Coombs and Egan, Haworth.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Pittsburg—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	4	5	2
Pittsburg	5	13	2

Batteries — Schneider, Lear and Clark; Kantlehner and Gibson.

At Brooklyn—	R.	H.	E.
New York	2	7	0
Brooklyn	1	6	4

Batteries—Tesreau, Schauer, Marquard and Meyers; Douglass, Pfeiffer and Miller.

At Philadelphia—	R.	H.	E.
Boston	0	4	1
Philadelphia	5	8	1

Batteries—Ragan, Tyler and Whaling; Rixey and Killifer.

BREAKS CASTING RECORD.

San Francisco, Aug. 16.—Fred N. Peet, of Chicago, president of the National Association of Scientific Angling clubs, broke the national association record for the salmon fly cast Saturday in the tournament now being held here. He shot his line out 162 feet, which is twelve feet better than the previous record, made in Chicago in 1914 by C. E. Lingenfeller, of Los Angeles.

DIBBLE DEFENDS TITLE.

Toronto, Aug. 16.—Bobbie Dibble, of the Don Rowing Club of Toronto, retained his title of champion sculler of America yesterday, when at the American Rowing Association regatta at Springfield, Mass., he won the single sculls from Kelly, of the Vespers Club of Philadelphia, his greatest rival, by one length. The time was 27 min. and 3-5 sec. The Duluth club practically swept all the other events clean.

AHEARN TO ENLIST.

New York, Aug. 16.—Young Ahearn, one the most promising light heavyweights in the game, is going to fight. Tired of trying to do battle here, Ahearn announced he is going over to Europe, where there is some real fighting, and enlist in the British army.

Ahearn is an Englishman by birth, although he has spent most of his life in America. He has been strongly urged to enlist by British sporting men because of the effect his lead would have on other young Englishmen.

CRACK SHOOTING.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—Two 100-target sweepstakes were held at Grant park yesterday, preliminary to the grand American handicap trap shoot, which opens here on Monday.

In the morning event at 100 targets from sixteen yards, Frank King was high with 99 hits.

Honors in the afternoon went to P. H. O'Brien, of Portland, Or., who also broke 99 out of 100 targets. W. R. Crosby, the professional, tied O'Brien's score, but he was not allowed to compete for the prize.

BROKEN DOWN WITH WORK AND HARDSHIPS

Washington, Aug. 16.—Fifteen members of the American mission in Van, Turkish Armenia, who were present during the recent fighting in that vicinity, have arrived in Tiflis broken down with work and hardships, one of their number having died before they left.

Consul Smith, at Tiflis, to-day notified the state department that a Mrs. Ussher had died in Van and that her husband now was dangerously ill at Tiflis. The dispatch said that while the other members of the little band of Americans were convalescent, they were without money or proper clothing.

NO INVESTIGATION.

Washington, Aug. 16. — Secretary Lansing to-day authorized the announcement that the state department had made no investigation of charges published in the New York World that German agents in the United States had been fomenting labor troubles in plants making supplies for the allies and seeking to influence American opinion with the approval of high officials of the German government.

ARRESTED AT VERNON: MUST STAND TRIAL

Vernon, Aug. 16.—A man said to be a German spy who enlisted in the 54th regiment at Vancouver by representing himself to be a Swiss reservist anxious to fight on the side of the allies, has been arrested and will be made the subject of a court-martial. The arrest was made quietly in the camp yesterday. Many of the man's comrades were unaware of the arrest or that the man was under suspicion in any way.

It is said that the authorities have evidence of the most incriminating nature to submit against the man, which will show not merely that he is a German under an assumed name and nationality, but that since his arrival at Vernon he had been collecting military information and offering it for sale to Germany.

The accused foreign birth and quiet activity in finding out details of the military units at Vernon made him an object of watchfulness by the authorities. A watch kept on his mail is said to have supplied revelations of the most damaging character.

WAS FIRST PRESIDENT OF MANITOBA CONFERENCE

Winnipeg, Aug. 16.—Rev. J. M. Harrison, aged 65, one of the pioneers of the Methodist church in western Canada, died yesterday at his fruit farm in Summerland, B. C. He is survived, besides his wife and one daughter living in Summerland, by a son, Edward Harrison, of this city, and Mrs. J. C. Sibley, who is the wife of a Methodist missionary now in China. The aged minister had been superannuated at the Alberta conference in June on account of his suffering from cancer. Together with Rev. George Young, Mr. Harrison, who had been but two years in the ministry, came from Ontario to Manitoba in 1874. He was the first president of the Manitoba Methodist conference.

ARRESTED NEAR BLAINE BY IMMIGRATION MEN

Bellingham, Wash., Aug. 16.—Francis Costello, who is said to be a Spaniard, was arrested by federal immigration authorities near Blaine yesterday on the charge of having smuggled four Russian aliens into the United States. Costello's headquarters are said to be at Ladner, B. C. With the four Russians he is held at Blaine and will be taken to Seattle for trial.

ITALIAN ARTILLERY VERY STRONG NOW

London, Aug. 16.—Telegraphing from Berne, the Morning Post's correspondent says:

"Italy has more than trebled the number of her artillery regiments and her new quick firing guns of the Deport model, which fire 40 shots a minute. This gun is said to excel the older models for use on rough ground."

NOT EXPECTED.

Rome, Aug. 16.—Telegrams from Nish give the impression that the Serbian government does not look for a serious movement against that country by Austria and Germany in the near future. These advices say that Serbian officials consider the reported concentration of Austrians and Germans at Orsova, Hungary, as being merely for political effect. By this move, according to the Serbian view, the Teutonic allies hope to impress Roumania, Bulgaria and Greece and encourage Turkey to redoubled efforts at the Dardanelles.

60 MILES AN HOUR.

Galveston, Aug. 16.—At 3 p. m. the wind was blowing at the rate of fifty-eight to sixty miles an hour. The barometer stood at 29.37. Up to that time there had been no damage and no flooding of the city.

OMITTED STATEMENT BRITAIN WAS AT WAR

San Francisco, Aug. 16.—Technical objections to the indictments, including the allegation that they did not state that Great Britain was at war, were offered to-day by counsel for five men held on charges of violating the neutrality of the United States by hiring recruits for foreign military service. These objections and a motion to quash the indictments delayed the arraignment of the men in the United States district court. The motion was set for argument on Monday.

"Arraignment of those alleged to have violated neutrality by delivering supplies to German warships on the steamship Sacramento was postponed till Monday.

FRUIT TO BE SENT TO SOUTH AMERICA

Vancouver, Aug. 16.—The first fruits of the sending of H. G. White as trade commissioner to Jamaica and South America for British Columbia arrived this morning in a somewhat extensive cable of orders for products grown in British Columbia.

The cable was received by Secretary Blair, of the Vancouver board of trade, and was from Buenos Ayres. It asks for that point 300 cases of Spitzenberg apples, 200 cases of Northern Spies, 200 cases of McIntosh Reds, 500 cases of Delicious, 300 cases of Jonathans, 100 cases of Newton Pippins, 150 cases of Ben Davis, 300 cases of Winter Bananas, 200 cases of Winesaps, and 200 cases of Beurre d'Anjou pears. These are to be sent via New York by the Lampton line. The cable states that this order can be duplicated for Rio Janeiro.

The cable also asks for samples of potatoes in drums, and states that there is a market for 1,100 tons of these with delivery commencing in October. Full particulars may be had from Secretary Blair, of the Vancouver board of trade.

INTERVENTION NECESSARY.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 16.—"Intervention in Mexico seems necessary today. The United States no longer can tolerate the confusion and disorder in our neighboring republic."

So declared Former President William H. Taft in an interview to-day.

TO BE EMPEROR?

Peking, Aug. 16.—The project of proclaiming himself emperor is being discussed by Yuan Shi Kai, president of the Chinese republic, with his immediate supporters and Professor Frank Johnson Goodnow, of Johns Hopkins university, legal adviser to the Chinese government, who is spending the summer in Peking.

A retired naval chaplain became rector of a country parish. On one occasion his parishioners, wishing to give him a surprise, bought a flag for the church tower. When the rector saw it on the tower he at once ordered it to be taken down. On being asked his reason for doing so he indignantly answered: "Allow that flag to fly over my church? Never! Do you know what that particular flag signifies? 'In distress—want a pilot!'"

Aunt Mary met her little niece in the park, and seized the opportunity to gather the lastest news from Marjory's home. And she got it. "And how is your papa, dear?" she inquired finally. "Oh, papa is critically ill." "He is? Why, what is the matter?" "I don't know. Not much, I think. But he criticizes me, and he criticizes ma, and he criticizes the cook, and most everything. He is very critically ill! Ma says so!"

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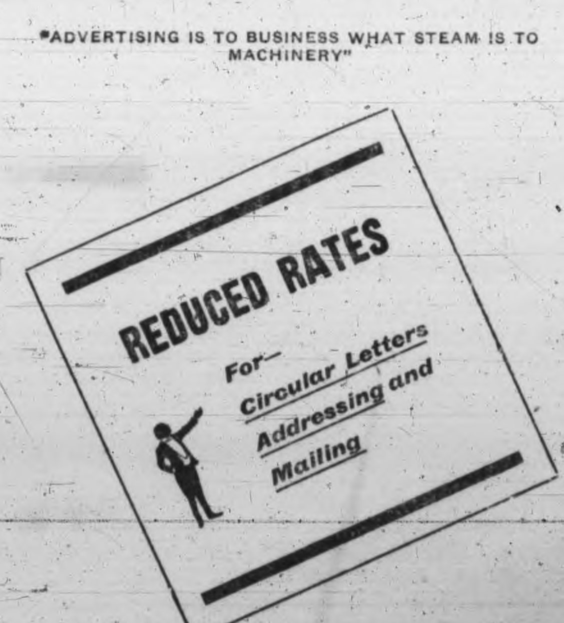

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J. PIERPONT MORGAN RETURNS TO OFFICE

New York, Aug. 16.—J. P. Morgan appeared at the office of J. P. Morgan & Company in Wall street to-day for the first time since he was shot at his summer home at Glencove, L. I., on July 3, by Erich Muenter, alias Frank Holt.

Private detectives have been stationed about the building occupied by the Morgan firm since the day Mr. Morgan was shot, and the detectives were on duty when Mr. Morgan arrived.

Mr. Morgan appeared to have recovered entirely from the bullet wound. His face was bronzed and he walked with a rapid and firm step.

THREE INJURED.

Boston, Aug. 16.—The assembling yesterday of 1,300 Italian reservists who were to sail on the steamship Canopic last night, and their friends, was marked by demonstrations against the interned Hamburg-American steamships Amerika and Cincinnati, during which three policemen were injured severely.

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FINANCE DEPT. MUST WORK OUT NEW PLAN

Problem is to Transfer to Canada Money Raised in Motherland

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—The sterling exchange situation looms large on the horizon here. A pound sterling, which at parity of exchange is the equivalent of $4.86 2-3 in Canadian or American money, now is worth only $4.70, which represents a discount of over three per cent. That is to say, if the Dominion government had borrowed recently in London instead of in New York it would cost an additional three per cent. at least to get the funds transferred. It really would cost more, because the exchange rate would break further upon any large selling of exchange. If the government had issued treasury bills in London at five and a half per cent. the funds would have cost after transfer to New York or Canada no less, and probably more than eight and a half per cent.

The saving of exchange by borrowing at New York amounted at current rates of exchange to nearly one and a half million dollars on the $45,000,000 loan. In fact, it becomes increasingly apparent that the transfer from Britain of such a huge sum could not be made even over a reasonable period by exchange operations.

The problem which later will confront the Dominion government will be how to get the use for its war expenditures in Canada, which are greater by far than its war expenditures abroad, of the funds which it borrows in London from the imperial treasury. It will have the money in London. The problem is how will the finance department get it to Canada so that it may be available to pay for the raising, paying and equipment of Canada's contingents here. Unless the exchange situation changes for the better, which seems extremely improbable, the funds cannot be brought out by exchange operations, and some financial expedient will have to be resorted to to meet the unprecedented situation.

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"Can you give me any ideas about making my yard more beautiful?" "Yes. Remain in the house."

ACTIVITIES DIRECTED BY THE CHANCELLOR

New York World Tells How Germans in States Busied Themselves

New York, Aug. 15.—The New York World published to-day the first of a series of articles based on evidence which it says it has collected and which, it asserts, reveals the scope of official pro-German propaganda in the United States in connection with its conflict with the allies. The evidence the World says, is based on correspondence exchanged by representatives of the German government, and the assertion is made that most of the undertakings of Berlin in this country have been directed by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg. The World claims to show that the German government, its agents and its volunteer sympathizers have attempted the ideas as outlined above.

The chief actors in these undertakings, the article charges, under the direction of the German chancellor, were: "Count Johann Bernstorff, German ambassador at Washington; Capt. Frank von Papen, military attache of the German embassy; Dr. Heinrich F. Albert, chief fiscal agent of Germany in this country; Herr Hugo Schmidt, western representative of the Deutsch Bank of Berlin; Dr. Hugo Schweitzer, a German-American chemist; S. Sulzberger, a banker in Frankfurt, Germany; Herr Watzoldt, trade representative of the German government in this country, and agents of the German secret service and various other persons not publicly identified with the German government.

Disclosures in the correspondence, the World asserts, show that the German propaganda had for its purpose the involving of the United States in the complications of the European war.

Besides attempting to control the American press, the article charges, the plan contemplated the establishment of newspapers and news agencies, the financing of professional lecturers and moving picture shows and the publication of books to foment American discord to the advantage of the German empire. The German government, this story says, is the financial backer of The Fatherland, a publication, which, it is charged, received a monthly bonus from Fiscal Agent Albert.

The World asserts that Germany now is building a large munitions plant in this country and that Berlin has contracted for the entire output of an American explosives company. The transportation of the munitions was to be arranged through a neutral government in close proximity to Germany.

The correspondence, according to the World, indicates that an official in the office of the military attache of the German embassy was in communication with certain labor leaders for the purpose of bringing about strikes in ammunition and motor car plants.

Concerning the alleged effort to secure munitions in this country, the World asserts its correspondence shows that Hugo Switzer secured for the German government the transfer to itself of a contract between the American Oil & Supply company, of Newark, and Thomas A. Edison for the manufacture and delivery by the latter of 1,212,000 pounds of carbolic acid, and at an aggregate cost of $1,400,000, to be delivered in daily shipments running till March, 1916.

The correspondence also reveals, says the paper, a payment on June 22 last, of $100,000 to W. F. Hoffman, president of the American Oil & Supply company, as a guarantee against loss.

A report from Captain von Papen to his superiors, describes steps taken by him to prevent exportation of asphyxiating gas to the allies, and a plan to tie up two "pure American" plants producing this gas.

Another agent disclosed to Fiscal Agent Albert a scheme to acquire control of the Wright Airship Company at Dayton, Ohio, with the assistance of one of Wright's intimate confidential men.

Reports by agents, the paper says, show that the following names were used, possibly without sanction, in an undertaking to get American citizens to urge an embargo on shipment of munitions:

Albert J. Beveridge, senator; S. S. McClure, publisher; Former Congressman Richard Bartholdt, of Missouri; Congressman A. P. Gardner, of Massachusetts; Richmond P. Hobson, congressman from Alabama; Henry Reuterdahl, artist; Burr McIntosh, author, and Rev. Dr. Aked, of San Francisco.

RUMORED IN OTTAWA HE MAY GO TO ROME

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—It is rumored here in authoritative circles that Rev. Father Burke, editor of the Catholic Register, who recently was reported to have been appointed a chaplain with the Canadian forces, will go to Rome in connection with the vacancy now existing in the archdiocese of St. Boniface through the death of the late Archbishop Langevin.

Le Temps, of Ottawa, declares that Father Burke aspires to the appointment, and states that the desire of a large body of English-speaking Catholics in St. Boniface diocese for an English-speaking successor to Archbishop Langevin renders his candidature a probable one.

It generally has been understood, however, that an Oblate will be appointed to the post. Father Burke is not an Oblate.

MAYOR OF AMHERST, N. S., DEAD.

Amherst, N. S., Aug. 16.—Joseph H. Douglas, mayor of Amherst, who was in Halifax on business, died suddenly this morning of acute pneumonia. Deceased was son-in-law of the late ex-premier W. T. Pipes.

15,000 Canadians Will Join Forces at Dardanelles

Vancouver, Aug. 16.—News that 15,000 of the Canadian soldiers in England have been ordered to the Dardanelles to take part in the operations there was conveyed in a telegram from the acting-minister of militia to-day to Hon. T. Chase Casgrain, postmaster-general.

A statement to this effect was made by Mr. Casgrain in this city to-day.

REPORT ISSUED BY THE GERMANS TO-DAY

Claim von Mackenzen's and Leopold's Forces Have Made Progress

Berlin, Aug. 16.—It is claimed in the official statement issued to-day that Field-Marshal von Mackenzen, continuing his advance from the south toward Brest Litovsk, has occupied Ciale and Slawatyce. It also is alleged that the army of Prince Leopold of Bavaria, moving from the west, has occupied in Losyce and Miedzyrzeczeck.

The text of the statement follows:

"Western theatre of war—North of Ammerzweiler, northeast of Dammerkirch (in upper Alsace) a French attack broke down under our fire.

"Eastern theatre—Army group of Field-Marshal von Hindenburg: During successful attacks on advanced positions at Kovno, 1,730 Russians, including seven officers, were taken prisoners.

"A projected attempt to break through the Russian lines from the Narew to the Bug, after a crossing of the Norzew river, succeeded and our pursuing troops reached a hill at Bransk. More than 5,000 prisoners fell into our hands.

"At Novo Georgievsk the defenders were driven back still farther from the groups of fortifications.

"Army group of Prince Leopold of Bavaria: During the night the left wing fought its way across the Bug river east of Drohiczyn (east of Sokolow). After the centre and right wings had captured Losyce and Miedzyrzecz yesterday afternoon, our opponents offered new resistance only in the sectors of Loczmaw and Klugowka, between Miedzryzec and Biala, but the resistance was broken down east of Losyce at daybreak by an attack of the Silesian landwehr. The enemy is being pursued.

"Army group of Field-Marshal von Mackenzen: The pursuit of the enemy continues. Ciale and Slawatycze have been occupied. East of Mlodowa our troops are advancing on the eastern bank of the Bug."

POINTS IN CUMBERLAND SHELLED BY SUBMARINE

London, Aug. 16.—Parton, Partington and Whitehaven, in Cumberland, England, on the Irish Sea, were bombarded to-day by a German submarine, a British official statement to-night announced. Some fires were caused, but the damage was slight and there were no casualties.

CRITICISM UNFAIR, DECLARE OFFICIALS

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—Criticism has appeared in the Canadian press to the effect that men totally incapacitated at the front, including those who have lost the sight of both eyes, receive an allowance of only $1 per week, which is insufficient. Officials of the militia department say that the criticism is unfair, because this is only a part of the provision made for the incapacitated. They are at liberty to go into a convalescent home until after the close of the war. If they prefer to remain at home they are entitled to an additional allowance for an attendant. It also is pointed out that the question of a larger measure of assistance for those who have been wounded at the front is engaging the attention of the government at the present time.

REPLY TO BE MADE PUBLIC TO-MORROW

Washington, Aug. 16.—The American reply to the last German note on the sinking of the American sailing ship William P. Frye by the Prince Eitel Friedrich has been delivered to the Berlin foreign office by Ambassador Gerard, and will be given out here by the state department to-morrow morning for publication in Tuesday afternoon's papers.

It is brief and accepts the commission method of determining damages, but rejects the proposal to arbitrate the disputed portions of the Prussian-American treaty.

FIVE MEN KILLED; BUILDING WRECKED

Emporium, Penn., Aug. 16.—Five men were killed and the gelatine house of the Aetna Explosives Company's plant at Grove Run, near here, was blown to pieces to-day by an explosion. Two other building were damaged badly, and the entire countryside was shaken. The men killed were the only employees in the building when the explosion occurred and company officials said the cause probably never would be known. The company has been engaged in filling war orders, it was stated.

ENEMY ALIEN HAS NO RIGHTS, SAYS JUDGE

No Such Person May Be Released on Bail or Otherwise

Montreal, Aug. 16.—A judgment delivered by Mr. Justice McLennan this morning is of considerable interest as affecting the standing of enemy aliens. Mihai Gusetu, an Austrian who had been interned under the direction of Major Dale, sought to obtain his release through a writ of habeas corpus. Through his lawyer he claimed that he was a native of the province of Bukowina and was a Ruthenian rather than an Austrian. He was interned in July.

In a lengthy judgment the judge declares that it is provided by the War Measures act that no person under arrest or detention as an enemy alien or under suspicion can be released on bail or otherwise discharged from custody; that no habeas corpus applies for an enemy alien who is a prisoner of war, and that an enemy alien has no rights under the common law of England. Therefore, he refuses the application.

TO VERA CRUZ.

Washington, Aug. 16.—Secretary Daniels has ordered the battleships New Hampshire and Louisiana, now in the Gulf of Mexico, to proceed to Vera Cruz. This course has been expected, but not until to-day was it acknowledged at the navy department.

TO-DAY'S TRADING ON THE WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Aug. 16.—Wheat declined 1½ to ⅞. The favorable weather conditions continue for the most part in the Canadian west. Temperatures are somewhat lower, and showers have occurred at a number of points. Winnipeg wheat futures opened ⅞ lower on October and December and 1⅛ lower on May, following with a gradual decline. Oats opened ⅛ lower and declined one cent later. Flax opened two cents lower and weakened further later. There was practically no offerings on the cash market and little or no inquiry for any of the grains, barring No. 3 and No. 4 wheat, for which there was a fair inquiry. Wheat stocks are getting light, only 616,606 bushels being in terminal elevators. Winnipeg wheat futures closed 1½ to 1⅞ lower; cash wheat, 1½ to 4 cents lower, oats closed 1⅛ lower, and flax closed 3½ lower. The first car of new wheat inspected was on Saturday and graded "rejected." The weather map showed showers at numerous points in the Canadian prairie west and somewhat lower temperatures. The lowest was 40 degrees at Coronation, Alberta, and the highest 92 degrees at Emerson, Man. The forecast is fair or a little cooler to-day, to-morrow, a few local showers, but mostly fair. The total inspections were 31 cars against 79 cars last year, and in sight were 50 cars.

	Open.	Close.
Wheat—		
Oct.	102¾	101¾
Dec.	101¼	101¼
May	107	107¼
Oats—		
Oct.	39⅛	39⅛
Barley—		
Oct.	..	56½
Flax—		
Oct.	142½	141

Cash prices: Wheat—2 Nor., 125; 3 Nor., 123; No. 4, 115.

Barley—No. 3, 60; No. 4, 59.

Flax—1 N. W. C., 139; 2 C. W., 135½.

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WEAK WHEAT MARKET AT CHICAGO TO-DAY

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, Aug. 16.—Judging from the action of wheat during the last two sessions—feeble resisting power offered to selling pressure—it would appear that the short element had been driven to cover to a considerable extent on the recent upturn. Under weight of local offerings the market sagged to-day, but showed stubbornness around 104 for September. Firmness at that level was emphasized in the end by reported rains in Kansas.

The visible supply recorded a moderate increase, and harvest operations in different sections of the wheat belt are proceeding now under favorable conditions.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Sept.	105½@106	106¼	103½	104⅛
Dec.	105½@106	106¼	103¾	104⅜
May	109¾@109	109¾	108¾	109⅛
Corn—				
Sept.	74⅛	74½	73½	73¾
Dec.	63⅛	63½	62½	63¼
May	65¼	65½	64¾	64⅞
Oats—				
Sept.	38⅛	38½	37¾	38⅛
Dec.	38⅝	38⅝	38⅛	38⅜
May	41⅛	41⅛	40⅝	41
Pork—				
Sept.	13.95	14.02	13.75	13.75
Oct.	14.02	14.15	13.87	13.90
Lard—				
Sept.	8.00	8.00	7.92	7.92
Oct.	8.02	8.07	8.00	8.00
Short Ribs—				
Sept.	8.82	8.85	8.70	8.70
Oct.	8.80	8.80	8.77	8.77

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NEW YORK CURB PRICES.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Amn. Marconi	4⅛	4½
Braden	7¼	7¾
Beaver	28	30
Can. Copper	90	100
Buffalo	½	¾
Can. Marconi	1	2
Hedley Gold	27½	28½
Howe Sound	3⅜	3½
Dome Mines	21½	22
Crown Reserve	45	50
Daly West	2¾	3
Cm. Phon.	14	14½
Gold Cons.	1¼	1⅜
Hollinger	27	28
Kerr Lake	3¼	3⅜
La Rosa	46	48
Mines of Am.	2⅛	2¼
Nipissing	5¼	5⅜
Standard Lead	1⅛	1¼
Stewart	1⅛	1 3-16
Tonapah	5¼	5⅜
Yukon	2¼	2⅜
Success	1	1 1-16
Winona	3⅝	4

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Financial News

SLIGHT RECOVERY IN GRANBY CONSOLIDATED

Rambler Had Break of Five Cents a Share at Session

The list was susceptible to varied influences, and while some stocks were marked up, others were quoted lower. Among the latter were Rambler, which went off five cents a share, and Snowstorm, which lost one point. There was a wide range between the bid and offer price of Lucky Jim, but withal a firm condition. Canada Consolidated was strong, and Granby recovered to the extent of one dollar, with some semblance of activity in evidence.

Trading capabilities were almost as narrow as at the Saturday session, but inquiry is being attracted on soft places in issues of any genuine repute.

	Bid.	Asked.
Blackbird Syndicate	$15.00	$25.00
Can. Copper Co.	.95	.98
Crow's Nest Coal	..	53.00
Can. Cons. S. & R.	105.00	
Coronation Gold	.07	.10
Granby	82.00	83.00
Int. Coal & Coke Co.	.12½	..
Lucky Jim Zinc	.03½	.04½
McGillivray Coal	.16	.19
Portland Canal	.01	.01½
Rambler Cariboo	.24	.28
Red Cliff	..	.08
Standard Lead	1.55	1.65
Snowstorm	.13	.16
Stewart M. & D.	..	.75
Slocan Star	.23	.28
Stewart Land	..	7.50
Victoria Phoenix Brew.	..	115.00
Unlisted.		
American Marconi	4.75	5.25
Canadian Marconi	1.20	2.00
Glacier Creek	.03	..
Island Investment	..	22.00
P. C. Tunnels	..	.05
Victoria Opera House	..	83.00
Howe Sound M. C.	4.00	4.75

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MONTREAL STOCKS

(Supplied by McDougall & Cowans.)

Montreal, Aug. 16.—The market was firm at all times. Dominion Iron was the most active of the list, being heavily traded in from 45 to 46. Cedar Rapids common also showed considerable activity, closing at 66. Scotia ranged from 87½ to 88 and Canada Locomotive at 54. The list remained practically unchanged from Saturday's prices. The undertone was firm with the closing steady.

	Bid	Asked
B. C. Packers	..	116
Bell Telephone	..	145
Brazil	..	54
Dominion Bridge	141	..
Canada Cement	..	28
Do., pref.	..	90½
Canadian Pacific	154	..
Can. Cotton, com.	..	26
Do., pref.	..	74
Crown Reserve	..	50
Canadian Converters	..	34
Can. Car Fdy.	113½	..
Cedar Rapids	66	..
Detroit United	..	62
Dominion Canners	..	37
Dom. Iron & Steel Corp.	46	..
Do., pref.	..	95
Ill. Traction	..	61
Lake of the Woods, com.	..	136
Laurentide	..	163
A. McDonald Co.		9½
Mackay, com.	..	76
Montreal Power	219	..
Mexican Light, com.	..	41
Nova Scotia Steel	87½	..
Ogilvie Flour, com.	..	122
Ottawa Power	..	120
Penman, Ltd.	..	52
Quebec Railway	..	10½
Can. S. S.	..	13
Shawinigan	..	117
Sherwin Williams, com.	..	58
Do., pfd.	..	99
Soo	..	121
Steel Co. Canada, com.	32½	..
Toronto Railway	..	111
Tuckett's Tobacco	..	29
Twin City	..	94
Winnipeg Electric	..	180
Wayagamac	..	34
Cedar Rapids	..	66

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NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, Aug. 16.—Raw sugar dull; centrifugal, $4.86@$4.95; molasses sugar, $4.09@$4.18; refined quiet; cut loaf, $6.70; crushed, $6.60; mould A, $6.25; cubes, $6.05; XXXX powdered, $6.96; powdered, $5.90; fine granulated, $5.80; diamond A, $5.80; confectioners' A, $5.70; No. 1, $5.50. Sugar futures were dull and featureless.

STEEL STOCKS SOLD HIGHER IN TRADING

Among Specialties Studebaker Was Leader in Strength

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Aug. 16.—With the steel stocks leaders in strength, sentiment in the street was of a bullish order. There was a tendency for rails to lag, interest being placed in many instances in war specialties. In the latter group Studebaker outshone the rest by rising rapidly to 109 and then reacting two points. The disposition among the trading element to take profits retarded buying tactics towards the last, and possibilities contained in the foreign situation—liable to spring up when least expected—served to dampen feeling near the delivery hour. Yet the market broke away from such influences and closed strongly.

	High.	Low.	Bid.
Alaska Gold	34⅝	33⅞	34
Allis-Chalmers	42⅞	40¼	41
Do., pref.	73½	72¼	73
Amn. Agr. Chemical	57½	57	56
Amn. Beet Sugar	61⅞	59½	61
Amn. Can	64⅞	60⅞	63¼
Amn. Car & Foundry	73	69½	72¼
Amn. Cotton Oil	52⅜	51	52
Amn. Ice Securities	24⅝	24	24½
Amn. Locomotive	58	55	57½
Amn. Smelting	81¼	80	80½
Amn. Sugar	110⅛	109⅛	109¼
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	123¼	122⅞	123½
Anaconda	69	66⅞	69⅛
Atchison	102½	102¼	102¼
B. & O.	82½	82¼	82¼
Bethlehem Steel	294	291¼	185
B. R. T.	84⅞	84⅜	84½
C. P. R.	154⅜	152⅞	154
Cal. Petroleum	16⅛	16	16
Central Leather	43¼	43	43
C. & O.	46½	46⅛	46
C. & G. W.	12¼	12⅛	12⅛
Do., pref.	31½	31	31½
C., M. & St. P.	83⅞	82⅞	83
Colo. Fuel & Iron	41⅞	41	41⅞
Crucible	74½	72½	74
Con. Gas	127¼	126⅞	126½
Distillers Sec.	29⅛	28	28½
Erie	28⅜	27⅞	28½
Do., 1st pref.	44½	44	44
Do., 2nd pref.	34⅞	34	34½
Gen. Motors	220½	217	219
Goodrich	62½	59¼	62¼
G. N., pref.	118⅞	118⅛	118⅞
G. N. Ore ctfs.	43	41½	42½
Guggenheim	63½	62⅞	62⅞
Illinois Cent.	102½	102	101
Inter-Metropolitan	19⅞	19⅜	19⅞
Inter. Harvester	108	106⅞	106½
Kas. City Southern	28⅞	27⅝	28
L. & N.	108½	108⅜	112⅞
Lehigh Valley	142½	142	142
N. Y. Air Brake	118	115½	117
Maxwell Motor	44⅞	42½	44
Mex. Petroleum	83⅞	80⅞	81
Willy's Overland	192	181	182
Mo. Pacific	2	1⅞	1⅞
Nat. Lead	66	65	64½
Nevada Cons.	14½	14⅞	14⅞
New Haven	63¼	63¼	63½
N. Y. C.	90⅞	90½	90½
N. Y., O. & W.	26⅞	26	26½
North American Co.	72	71	72
N. P.	108⅞	108½	108⅞
Pacific Mail	34⅞	34⅛	34
Pennsylvania	109	108½	108⅞
Pittsburg Coal	26½	28¾	26
Do., pref.	95⅞	95	95
Pressed Steel Car	67	62½	65½
Railway Steel Spg.	41⅞	39	40
Reading	148½	147⅞	148½
Rep. Iron & Steel	45	43½	45½
Do., pref.	98½	98½	98
Sloss Sheffield	55	51⅞	54⅛
S. P.	90	88⅞	89⅞
Sou. Railway	16⅜	16	16½
Do., pref.	82½	82	48
Studebaker Corpn.	120	102½	115
Tenn. Copper	48½	45	47
Twin City	91	90	90
U. P.	132⅜	130½	131½
Do., pref.	82	81	81
U. S. Rubber	48⅞	48½	48½
U. S. Steel	76⅞	73⅞	76½
Do., pref.	113	112⅞	112⅞
Utah Copper	67	65½	66½
Va. Car. Chem.	37⅞	36⅞	36⅞
Western Union	71⅞	71⅛	71
Westinghouse	118	112⅞	117⅞
Granby (Boston)	82½	81½	82

Money on call, 1¾ per cent.

Total sales, 294,000 shares.

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METAL MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 16.—Lead offered at $4.50. Spelter not quoted. Copper unsettled; electrolytic, $17.25@$18. Iron firm; No. 1 Nor., $15.50@$16; No. 2, $15.25@$15.75; No. 1 Sou., $15@$15.50; No. 2 Sou., $14.75@$15.25. Tin steady, $34.50@$35.

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NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	9.74	9.74	9.61	9.65-66
March	10.00	10.00	9.88	9.89-90
May	10.18	10.20	10.11	10.12-13
Oct.	9.36	9.37	9.18	9.24-25
Dec.	9.64	9.64	9.49	9.64

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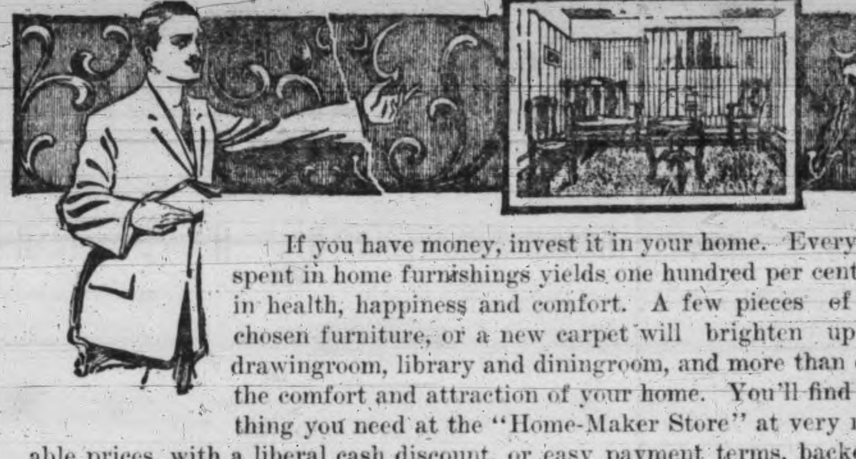

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ALD. TODD DROVE FIRST CAR OVER NEW HIGHWAY

Ceremony Was Witnessed by 1,500 People, Many of Whom Were Victorians

Under fair skies and with considerable pomp and ceremony the "Georgian Circuit" was formally opened at Port Angeles on Saturday afternoon at 5.52 o'clock, by Alderman A. E. Todd, of this city, who conceived and advocated the new motor tour. About 1,500 people gathered at the baseball park to witness the dedication, including a large party from Victoria, which made the trip across the Strait on the steamer Princess Adelaide, and representatives from Seattle, Port Townsend and other towns and cities which mark out the route of the new highway.

The dedicatory service was purely oratorical, with the sole exception of an obstacle race for motor cars, which was won by a Ford. Mayor Horace White, of Port Angeles, delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by Mayor Stewart, of Victoria, and Joseph Blethen, president of the Seattle Automobile club. Representatives of the two governments were called on to deliver addresses, Hon. Dr. Young, speaking on behalf of British Columbia, and W. R. Roy, Washington State Highway commissioner, voicing the sentiment of the state across the boundary. Several prominent automobile enthusiasts spoke, including Thaddeus S. Lane, of Spokane, president of the Inland Empire Automobile club.

All the speakers laid particular emphasis on the great part which the new circuit would play in improving the already friendly relations existing between the towns and cities through which the new highway passes. The advertising carried out by each place would benefit the others. It meant to a certain degree the consolidation of effort, and no speaker was prepared to predict the outcome of such a propaganda. The tourist travel would be increased, as the new highway was one which no motorist could overlook. Fortunately the highway was a circuit, and there was no terminus, but the speakers believed that there would be considerable competition for the honor of being the hub of the circuit. But whichever city did secure that title it would have to produce something very substantial in justification. The speakers also emphasized the physical difficulties which were encountered in the west in building highways.

Orders of Welcome.

Mayor White, in his address of welcome said in part: "Port Angeles extends a hearty welcome to her guests, who meet here to-day to dedicate the Georgian circuit. The initiation of this project by Ald. Todd, of Victoria, was a master stroke. The instant response to the idea by the people of British Columbia and the state of Washington attests to the merit of the proposition. Its possibilities are illimitable. Its international charact lends a charm wholly absent from any other motor route on the continent. To-day we dedicate the circuit to the use of the public, and it now remains for us to bring its wonderful possibilities to the notice of the public, and it will then accomplish its own popularity. Let us all pull together as o. man and success will surely crown our efforts."

Mayor Stewart in reply, stated that he heartily appreciated the words of Mayor White. The new highway would cause more frequent exchange of visits between the two cities, and he issued an invitation to Port Angeles people to "come over more often and see us."

Joseph Blethen, proprietor of the Seattle Times, who came over the new highway in his big Packard, arrived just before the opening of the ceremony. In responding to the address of welcome on behalf of Seattle, he was gratified to be able to participate in the service which marks the completion of an enterprise for which he had worked hard. He had been greatly instrumental in prevailing upon the government of Washington to construct that section of the highway on the American side. He thought it was something to brag about, and remarked that when he retired in some fifteen years' time it would be the source of much satisfaction to him to recall the part he played in the establishment of the road.

Hon. Dr. Young spoke of the work which the provincial government was doing in the maintenance of good roads. He pointed out the great and seemingly insurmountable obstacles which had to be overcome in building motor roads in this province and Washington. The improvement of relations between the many cities was after all the most important phase of the project.

Thaddeaus S. Lane, who has been touring through British Columbia and Washington, paid a tribute to the section of the "Georgian Circuit," which traverses Vancouver Island. In referring to the Malahat he said: "When we came to that elevated position called Inspiration Point, we stopped and gazed upon the vast body of water far beneath us. It was a beautiful sight. We bared our heads to the Creator who had created such a wonderful scene, and then again we bared our heads to the men unknown to us, who had built the road which enabled us to reach the point and witness the beauty of nature."

Herbert Cuthbert, industrial commissioner of Victoria, spoke on the advantages of the new route, and followed an address by Commissioner Roy, who outlined the work which his department had outlined for next year, and a few words by I. Katz, mayor of Port Townsend. Ald. Todd was called upon to deliver the dedicatory speech. He reviewed briefly the work which he had carried on in order to secure the establishment of the highway and spoke of the active assistance he had secured from automobile men in this province and Washington. The advantages the towns would derive from tourist travel were also spoken of.

At the conclusion of his speech Ald. Todd took the wheel of Dr. D. H. Craig's car, who presided over the ceremony, and left the ball grounds for the highway. A special arch of cedar logs had been constructed to mark the place where the motor drive should be opened. A red, white and blue ribbon was parted by the car and then Ald. Todd exclaimed: "I formally declare the 'Georgian Circuit' open." Loud cheers greeted the announcement.

Many of the guests then repaired to the Olympic hotel, where a luncheon was served.

A Fair Weather Road.

Speaking to the Times' representative during the afternoon Mr. Blethen said that the section of the highway between Seattle and Port Angeles in its present state of construction was a fair weather road. There are two bad hills en route, but the government engineers were now building around them, and one hill would be eliminated from the route inside of thirty days. Even at present it was a high-gear road. For a new road he thought it was very good, and time would be when the highway would be in perfect condition. As to the scenery, it was wonderful.

During the proceedings a Seattle car came into the grounds, which had made a through run. The speedometer showed that the car had traveled 201 7-10 miles, and the driver said that he had been exactly eight hours and fifty-eight minutes coming through. Over a new road this was exceptionally smart going and shows that the road itself must even at this early stage of its construction be in fairly good shape.

The Victorians enjoyed themselves while being entertained by the people of Port Angeles. The Princess Adelaide arrived there at 3.15 o'clock and departed on her homeward voyage at 8 o'clock.

ESQUIMALT CADETS

Corps Wins Campaigners' Shield and Cup Given by Daughters of Empire.

The cadet corps of the Esquimalt public school has won distinction by winning the shield presented by the Campaigners' association and the cup offered by the Imperial Daughters of Empire. The school board has just been notified of the latter's success in a letter from Major Belson, inspector of cadet corps.

The success of the cadets has been a source of gratification to their instructors and to the district. There will be a public presentation of the trophies won.

The instruction of the corps for both competitions was given by J. C. Stacey, principal, and Mr. Dowler, first assistant of the Esquimalt school.

"Those who would saddle the kaiser with the responsibility for the war," says a German paper, "forget that he kept the peace of Europe for twenty-six years." No, they don't. They fully appreciate the fact that he took all that time to get ready to fight—Punch.

PROPOSES TO DROP BONDING CLAUSE

Alderman McNeill Would Be Willing to Meet Objections to Jitney Regulations

Another effort will be made at an early date by Alderman McNeill to proceed with the jitney regulations, which take the form of an amendment to the hired vehicles consolidation by-law.

He proposes to abandon the surely clause, which is not of course in the voluntary regulations of the Jitney association. As the by-law is now drafted, it is proposed to fix bonds of $300, $500 and $1,000, according to the class of cars and their capacity. These bonds are required to be furnished in other cities against the possibilities of compensation to passengers for personal accident.

Another suggestion which he will make with the idea of meeting the chances of discomfort and inconvenience of cars breaking down, and of the peril to the public from old and unsuitable automobiles, is to have automobiles examined by the inspector of hired vehicles, so that apart from the contingencies which may happen to all vehicles, passengers will have some protection in travelling.

This regulation, to which in moving the introduction of the by-law last week the alderman made reference, would, he thinks, give the public some security, and would be in keeping with the rules affecting the ordinary horse-drawn vehicles.

The number of jitneys plying for hire at this time on regular routes is said to fluctuate considerably, a public holiday bringing out large numbers of cars which have for some time abandoned the scheduled route. The Willows run particularly has seen a considerable reduction since so many of the soldiers training at that camp have been moved elsewhere.

The difference of opinion among members of the council is confined to the principle of whether there should be any regulation at all.

NORMAL SCHOOL OPENS

Number of Pupils Has Increased Threefold This Term.

The provincial Normal school opened this morning for its second session, and Principal MacLaurin will have about three times as many students under him as compared with the last session. The Model school, under Principal MacLean, will not open its doors till next Monday, as the ordinary pupils of the district form the nucleus of the school, and will begin their lessons with other graded schools of the province.

Naturally most of the Normal school students are from island points, but other cities are represented in different parts of the province. Among the improvements to the school since the last session are substantial additions to the library, which is being carefully selected, a new lantern for lectures, a piano for the singing classes, and improvements to the plunge baths.

Attention will be given to the manual training department this term, with the idea of improving the classes and extending them. The art room will also receive attention. Miss McKenzie will have charge of the domestic science classes.

During the vacation special attention has been given to the inter-telephone system, ventilating fans, school clocks, and other details which greatly assist the comfort of the staff and the students. It is probable that there will be a luncheon system started this term for the convenience of students, owing to the distance of the school from the city.

The term starts with an enrolment of about 130.

SAUNDERS ELECTED

Small Poll at Esquimalt Results in 221 Majority for Former Reeve.

The election for reeve for the unexpired portion of the present term took place at Esquimalt on Saturday, and John R. Saunders was elected over George J. Cook by 278 votes to 51. There were five spoiled ballots. Only 334 ratepayers voted out of the 1,100 in the municipality who were entitled to exercise the franchise.

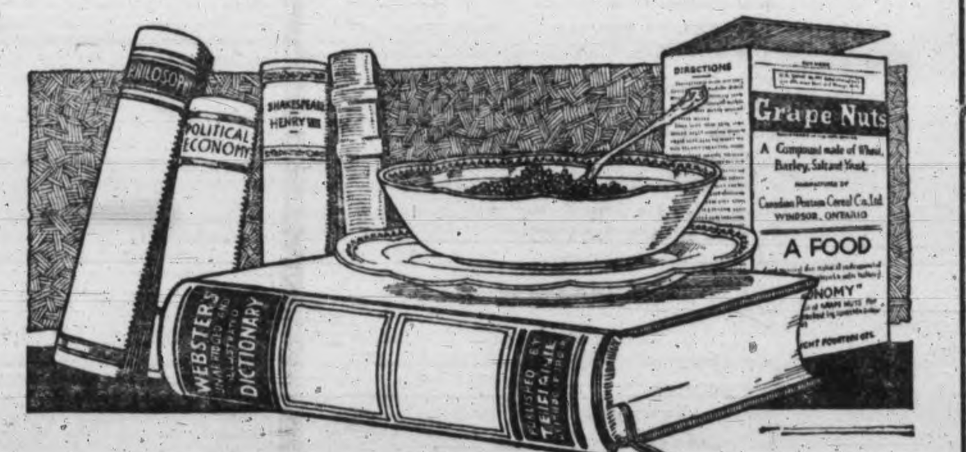
When G. H. Pullen, the returning officer of the municipality, announced the result of the ballot, there were loud cheers given for the new reeve by a large crowd outside the polling booth. Mr. Saunders is very popular in the district, and won the support of the electors by the excellent service he rendered the municipality during his previous tenure of the office.

J. R. SAUNDERS.

"My word, Jacob," said Steinberg, "that is a beautiful diamond you have in your pin. How much did it cost?" "I paid 1,000 dollars," replied Jacob. "One thousand dollars! Good gracious!" exclaimed Steinberg. "Vy, I did not know you ver vorth so much money!" "Vell, you see," exclaimed Jacob, "ven der old man died he left 1,000 dollars for a stone to be erected to his memory; and dis is der stone."

After a hurried rush through the night, the doctor found his patient in a very bad way. "My dear sir," he said slowly, "I have been attending you for nine weeks, and have done my best, but I'm afraid that your end is near. Have you any last wish to express?" The patient drew a long faint breath. "Yes, doctor," he replied, in a faint voice. "I wish I had had another doctor."

Mrs. Watkins was entertaining some week-end guests not long ago, when they were startled by a commotion in the hall. "Gracious! What's that awful language downstairs?" whispered one of the guests in a frightened tone. "Don't be alarmed, my dear," replied the hostess. "It's my husband. He's come in late and falled over the new Persian prayer rug."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CAUSES OF WAR TOLD AT MILITARY SERVICE

Rev. Captain Campbell Begins Series on Subject to Soldiers at the Willows

Rev. Captain Campbell, M.A., Ph.D., chaplain to the 50th Regiment Gordon Highlanders, who has preached to the troops at the Willows camp every Sunday morning since the first week of August last year, yesterday morning gave his first series of addresses on the war. He dealt, in particular, with the first causes of the great outbreak.

Early in the last century, he pointed out, Turkey took the provinces of Bosnia and Herzegovina from Serbia. This led to the war between Russia and Turkey forty years ago. At the close of the war Austria took over these provinces by the Treaty of Berlin, pledging her honor to Turkey that the Sultan's authority should be allowed to continue. Eight years ago, however, Austria violated her word by annexing the provinces to her own empire. Serbia protested against this flagrant breach of faith, and was so strongly endorsed by other nations as almost to bring on a European war at that time. War was averted by wise diplomacy. But Serbia had nursed bitter feelings against Austria ever since.

In June of last year, Captain Campbell reminded them, the Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir to the throne of Austria, and commander-in-chief of the Austrian army, and his wife, the Archduchess of Austria, while passing through the capital of Bosnia to attend a military review, were both assassinated. Indignation against Serbia fanned by the public press, swept like a prairie fire over Austria, although Serbia disavowed all responsibility for the murder of Ferdinand, maintaining that it was the act of an assassin, for which the nation was not responsible.

The policy of Austria, supported by Germany, for many years before the lamentable murder of Ferdinand was to crush Serbia, that they together might control the Slavonic nations to the South. While the murder of Ferdinand was advanced as the cause of the war, it had really little to do with it other than being a convenient excuse for Austria, backed up by Germany, to set a match to the magazine of Europe, an opportunity for which both these countries had been watching and waiting for several years, and of which they were thoroughly prepared to take advantage when it came.

Although Serbia disclaimed all responsibility for the murder of the Archduke Francis Ferdinand, Austria, supported by Germany, refused to investigate the regrettable crime so as to fix the responsibility on the guilty party; sent a dogmatic ultimatum to Serbia, and demanded an answer within forty-eight hours. For offensiveness in diction and unreasonableness in demands, the equal of this ultimatum could not be found in the history of international diplomacy either in ancient or modern times. Its offensiveness was aggravated by the brevity of the time limit given Serbia to admit her guilt of a foul murder which she had already disavowed. It was once more the fable of the wolf and the lamb.

England, Russia, France and Italy pleaded with Austria, Captain Campbell pointed out, to extend the time limit of the ultimaum so as to give an opportunity to discover a ground on which there might be an amicable understanding between Austria and Serbia. But every avenue looking toward the averting of war was closed by Austria, with the evident approval of Germany. Austria was always ready to acquiese in the advice of Germany. But Germany, when approached in the matter by Sir Edward Gray, maintained that the grievance was a matter between Austria and Serbia, and that they would settle the trouble without the interference of outsiders. It was a case of a powerful giant and a little weak man being placed in the ring, and a bully saying: "The quarrel is their own. Let them fight it out! Let the strongest man win!"

Russia, by treaty, was bound to help Serbia. Germany was bound to help Austria. When the forty-eight hours of the Austrian ultimatum to Serbia expired the Austrian army marched over the border into Serbia, and the war began.

PROMINENT UNITARIAN COMING TO VICTORIA

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On Thursday next a large party of Unitarians will visit Victoria en route for the general conference of Unitarian churches at San Francisco. The special train left Boston, Mass., some days ago, receiving additions at various points in the United States and Canada. The party will stay overnight in the city, and a public meeting has been arranged for Thursday evening, to be held in the ballroom of the Alexandra club at 8.15 p. m. At this meeting the principal speakers wil be Rev. Samuel McChord Crothers, D. D., Litt. D., of First Parish church, Cambridge, Mass., Rev. Horace Westwood, D. D., of All Soul's church, Winnipeg, and Professor Anna Garland Spencer, professor of sociology at Meadville Theological seminary, Pennsylvania. Dr. Crothers will speak on the Unitarian message. Dr. Westwood on Unitarianism in Canada, and Mrs. Spencer on Women and Religion. All interested are cordially invited to the meeting. On Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the ballroom at the Empress hotel, a women's meeting will be held at which officers of the International Alliance of Unitarian and other Liberal Christian women will speak on Women's Work in and for the churches. This meeting is also open to the general public.

WOUNDED AT GALLIPOLI.

Major Sharp, Formerly of Quamichan Lake, Reported Missing After Fight.

Mrs. A. G. Sharp, of Duncan, B. C., has received a cable stating that her husband, Major Sharp, was wounded on August 10, and had since then been posted as missing.

Major Sharp was born in the old country, and had extensive military experience, having served for eighteen years in the first and second battalions of the Manchester regiment. He was through the South African war with his regiment, and wore both the king's medals and the Queen's medal with five clasps. It was in 1911 that he came to Vancouver island, purchasing a farm on Quamichan lake, and since that time having made his home in the district. He was very well known in the whole Cowichan district, and took a lively interest in cricket and tennis, being one of the best players in the Cowichan tennis club.

He was ordered to return to England last October, becoming attached to the ninth battalion Royal Warwickshire regiment, which left some weeks ago for Egypt, more recently removing to the Dardanelles. It was in the fighting on the Gallipoli peninsula on August 10 that he was wounded. A brother is fighting in another battalion.

SAANICH BOARD IS RELUCTANT TO FOLLOW

Trustees Hesitate to Imitate Other Boards About High School Tuition

At the meeting of the Saanich school board to-day the account for the education of Saanich pupils in the city High school will be presented, it is understood, as the municipal council has made no provision for the payment, the figures of course not appearing in the school board estimates.

One of the members of the board indicated that the course which will probably be pursued is to ask the council to join with the trustees in a deputation to the council of public instruction, so that the whole principle may be reviewed.

This appeal is the only way the statute provides of settling a dispute between municipalities, and it is generally understood that this action will be adopted by other municipalities interested.

Strong opposition will be taken to Saanich following the course of Oak Bay and Esquimalt, and furnishing its own high school. The board has a modern brick building at Tolmie school, where doubtless accommodation could be found by displacing some of the graded pupils and sending them elsewhere, but the establishment of another small high school will be adopted only when the trustees are driven to that course.

Another matter before the board today affects the sanitation and conditions in the schools, which has been the subject of a report from the municipal engineer. The sanitation of some of the schools has not been of the best, and the Local Ratepayers' associations have been very anxious to have conditions improved, if possible, before the schools re-opened. This improvement, however, is doubtful with the short time remaining to complete the work. An outside expert was proposed to make the report, but with the idea of saving expense the engineer conducted the examination, and a thorough inspection has been completed, resulting in several recommendations for improvement.

ISLAND LUMBER INDUSTRY IMPROVES

President of Empire Lumber Co. Optimistic; Praises Cowichan Lake Scenery

"I am impressed with the change which prevails in the lumber industry to-day, as compared with the situation of three months ago, when I was last on the coast," said President William G. Moore, of the Empire Lumber company, who arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

"I have been spending some time with my family at Cowichan Lake, where our limits are situated, and while conditions are just beginning to improve, there is a notable change in the opinion of lumbermen, the spirit of pessimism giving way to one of optimism. The mill at Genoa Bay will be busy for some time, and while we shall not cut our own logs, as the camps are closed, it will enable us to use up a considerable quantity of material on hand, like every other mill on the Island.

"Nothing will be done at Crofton till there is a complete change in lumbering conditions in British Columbia. We have no object in building a mill when as satisfactory relations prevail as those under which our logs are cut at Genoa Bay. Crofton, however, is an ideal site for a mill, and sooner or later it will be built."

Mr. Moore spoke of the promise of the Island lumbermen of sharing in admiralty orders, and expressed the opinion that the anticipation of this activity had much to do with the growing optimism. He stated that his present visit, was one purely of pleasure, and after visiting the famed resorts of Switzerland and other elevated regions, he believed Cowichan Lake had charms which would rival them all as a tourist centre.

He leaves for the east with his family to-day, his headquarters being at Philadelphia.

WILL MAKE RECOMMENDATION.

Municipal Labor Bureau Will Be Placed in Temporary Charge During Superintendent's Absence.

The municipal labor bureau superintendency being vacant through the resignation of W. C. Winkel, who is joining the Canadian Pioneers regiment, a meeting of the committee is being held this afternoon to make a recommendation to the council. A successor will hold office during Mr. Winkel's absence on military duties. Although no formal applications have been received, it is understood that the prospective aplicants include an ex-mayor. Probably a recommendation will be made without inviting applications, as the position is only a temporary one. An appointment may be made to-night.

Council business promises to be quiet, and the meeting should be over promptly to-night, unless the jitney regulations are taken from the table, in which case there would be some discussion. It is not expected, however, that the matter will be proceeded with just yet.

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